

TURCK LUMBER YARD FIRE CAUSES LOSS OF \$50,000

Fire Started in Barn Occupied by D. Samuel, and Consumed the Turck Lumber Yard, Herold's Junk Warehouse and the U. & D. Ice House—Newland Building Badly Amaged.

Fire which is thought to have started in a frame building on Catherine street occupied by D. Samuel, the Strand fruit dealer, as a barn and storehouse, spread rapidly to the lumber yard of the William J. Turck Company and a frame building occupied by Louis Herold as a junk warehouse, which were totally wiped out by the flames, together with the Uster & Delaware Railroad Company's ice house in the rear of the station on the Strand. The fire was one of the most destructive that has visited the lower section of the city in some years. The lumber yard is a total loss and it was with difficulty that the firemen were enabled to save the office building. Mr. Turck said this morning that the loss was estimated at from \$30,000 to \$35,000, but was fully covered by insurance. So severely was the fire raging when the first alarm was turned in that Chief Chipp sent in a second alarm when he reached the scene.

Fire Discovered.
The fire was first seen by Frank Holcomb, who lives on the High Road overlooking Catherine street, and he immediately telephoned to a lunch room on the Strand for an alarm to be turned in which was done from Box 24 shortly after 2 o'clock this morning. At the time the fire was discovered it seemed to issue from the barn occupied by Mr. Samuel, and was not burning much, but the high wind that was blowing soon fanned the flames into a roaring mass and swept them down over the lumber sheds of the Turck Company and when the firemen reached the scene the fire was well underway.

The lumber yard afforded excellent material for the fire which spread rapidly and burned fiercely. Dense clouds of smoke arose from the flaming piles of lumber while tongues of flame shot high, illuminating the sky for a considerable distance. Just beyond the lumber yard is the three story brick building occupied by the Newlands as a grocery store on the first floor with living apartments above. This building was badly gutted and flooded with streams of water. Mr. Newland said this morning that it was impossible to estimate the loss but it would be large, especially as it was necessary to turn huge streams of water into the building to prevent it from being totally destroyed.

Owing to the fact that it was adjoining a lumber yard but little insurance was carried by the Newlands, owing to the extremely high rate asked, and the loss will therefore be exceptionally heavy on them. The rooms on the side facing the lumber yard were badly damaged by the flames which licked their way through the windows and crept into the rooms and the timely arrival of the firemen prevented the flames from creeping through to the other side of the building. For several hours streams of water were poured into the Newland building and as a result the building is filled with water and the damage from that cause will be even greater than by fire.

Sick Man Carried Out.
For some time David J. Newland has been confined to the house by illness and when it was seen that the fire was rapidly approaching the building it was thought best to remove him and he was carried out and taken to the home of a friend. The room in which he slept was badly gutted by fire and the bed in which he was reclining was burned.

Policeman Boyd Injured.
But one accident marked the scene of the fire as far as could be learned. When the hook and ladder truck from the central station drove up to the scene it was decided to take the truck out of the way as the firemen were busy fighting the fire. Policeman Boyd jumped up on the sleigh and the horses started off on a gallop. In front of the ferry shed, one of the sleigh runners became fast in the frog of the railroad tracks and the sleigh stopped with the Jolt, hurling Officer Boyd from the seat down between the feet of the prancing horses. Fortunately he escaped being trampled on and suffered only a bad cut in his forehead and a number of bruises. He was conveyed in the ambulance to the city hall where Dr. Quinlan was summoned and took several stitches in the wound. Officer Boyd's injuries are not considered serious.

Where Fire Started.
The building in which the fire is said to have started is a two story frame building owned by Carl G. Fischer and leased by him to Mr. Samuel, who has a fruit store on the Strand. Mr. Samuel used the building as a barn and a store house and at the time his horse and delivery wagons were kept in the barn and also a large stock of vegetables and an automobile.

Mr. Fischer when asked as to the value of the building said it was at least \$2,500 and that he carried \$600 insurance on it. Mr. Samuel is in New York city and according to his wife had left town Wednesday evening and was not expected home until tonight. His clerk had gone over to the barn to bed down the horse at 5 o'clock that afternoon and said that when he left the building everything was all right and there was no sign of a fire. Mrs. Samuel said that they carried insurance but she did not believe that it amounted to half the loss sustained by fire.

Junk Warehouse Next Door.
Next door to the Samuel's barn was another frame building used by Louis Herold as a junk warehouse. The fire swept from the barn to the warehouse and that was also soon a mass of flames. Beyond and behind the warehouse stretched the large lumber yard and sheds of the Turck Company filled with well seasoned wood which burned like tinder once the flames secured a hold, and it was only a short time before when the whole lumber yard was one mass of roaring flames while the heat emitted was intense. The burning lumber threw off dense clouds of smoke which hung low in the air.

Beyond the lumber yard was the brick building owned and occupied by the Newlands and in the rear was a large ice house owned by the Uster & Delaware Railroad. The ice house was totally destroyed by the flames and the Newland building is badly gutted by fire and water. The lumber yard extended from the Strand back to Catherine street and covered a large area of ground.

Auto Truck Used.
The big auto truck of the fire department when it reached the scene was run down under the ferry shed and soon started pumping water from the creek, which was carried to the fire with two lines of hose. The operations of the truck were watched with interest by a large crowd of spectators this morning. One horse named So hot was the fire when the firemen reached the scene that it was impossible to save the horse owned by Mr. Samuel, but quick work saved the horses used by the Turck Company, which were stabled in a large building in the rear of the lumber yard and which were gotten out in safety. The Turck barn was totally destroyed by the flames.

Firemen Deserve Credit.
The local fire department deserve a great deal of credit for the valiant work they performed in an effort to save the buildings burned and the saving of the adjoining buildings. That the Newland building and the Uster & Delaware station were not destroyed by fire is due to the work of the fire department, assisted by the railroad employees, who strung a line of hose and played it on two fire.



RUINS OF TURCK LUMBER YARD AS THEY APPEARED AT 1 O'CLOCK THIS AFTERNOON. The above picture is from a photograph by a Freeman reporter at 1 o'clock this afternoon and shows the ruins as they appeared from the street. The greater part of the fire at that time was in the back part of the yard and does not show because of the smoke.

TRAVER SUCCEEDS CUNNINGHAM

Appointed District Attorney to Fill Vacancy Caused by Mr. Cunningham's Resignation to Accept Appointment as a Judge of the Court of Claims.

District Attorney William D. Cunningham was appointed a judge of the court of claims on Wednesday afternoon by Governor Whitman, to whom Judge Cunningham at once submitted his resignation as district attorney of Ulster county, the governor immediately appointing Assistant District Attorney Frederick G. Traver district attorney of the county for Mr. Cunningham's unexpired term. Judge Cunningham will begin his duties at once. District Attorney Traver took his oath of office today and has already entered upon the discharge of his duties.

Governor Whitman for some time has been desirous of appointing Judge Cunningham to the court of claims for the full term at a salary of \$8,000 a year. They became intimately acquainted in the course of criminal investigations undertaken in their respective offices, some of



WILLIAM D. CUNNINGHAM.

Judge Cunningham's Ulster county cases having a New York end and some of Governor Whitman's cases while he was district attorney having ramifications in Ulster county. Their acquaintance ripened into a deep personal friendship which was manifested when Governor Whitman, then district attorney, came to Ulster county to urge the election of Judge Cunningham several years ago, and Judge Cunningham accompanied Governor Whitman in the latter's gubernatorial campaign throughout the state last year. Judge Cunningham's delightful personality won for him many friends besides the governor, and rumors of his prospective appointment as judge of the court of claims met with approval on the part of Republican leaders who long have recognized Judge Cunningham's ability.

Judge Cunningham is a native of Ellenville, where he was born in May, 1879. After graduating from the Ellenville High School he entered the College of Law of Cornell University at Ithaca, and as he was working his way through college he spent his spare time in tutoring, later being connected with the school as an instructor in certain branches. At the time of his graduation he was awarded by unanimous vote of the faculty the Judge Boardman prize of \$100 for maintaining the highest standing in his class throughout the three years' course. He practiced law for one year in New York city and after his admission to the bar and while there he met Governor Whitman, who had begun the practice of this profession shortly before that

time. Judge Cunningham had several flattering opportunities offered to him in a legal way in New York city but he preferred his native county and after one year's experience in New York he returned to Ellenville and opened his law office there.

In the fall of 1903, he was elected assemblyman from the Second District of Ulster county and was re-elected in 1904, 1905 and 1906. He was elected district attorney of Ulster county in 1907, and was re-elected in 1910 and 1913. During his term of office occurred most of the important criminal cases arising in the Ashokan watershed by reason of the construction work carried on there with negro and foreign labor by the city of New York, and his success in the prosecution of criminal cases attracted attention in all sections of the state. In the preparation and trial of cases he was assisted by Assistant District Attorney Frederick G. Traver, whose familiarity with the office and its work had commenced during the early administration of the late Judge Charles P. Cantine as district attorney. Judge Cunningham several years ago formed a partnership with Mr. Traver for the purpose of law in civil cases, and the members of the firm had notable success in their profession.

Judge Cunningham in 1912 was a candidate for state comptroller but the entire Republican state ticket that year was defeated. A year ago he was a candidate in the primary for the nomination for secretary of state but was defeated by Francis M. Hugo, who was subsequently elected. The recent Constitutional Convention chose Judge Cunningham as its secretary.

The court of claims is composed of three judges, who are appointed by the governor, by and with the advice and consent of the senate. The term of each judge shall be nine years. A judge of the court of claims must be an attorney and counselor at law of at least ten years experience in practice. The governor designates the presiding judge. The court has extensive jurisdiction and hears all claims against the state. It shall hold at least eight sessions each year, and its sessions are held at Albany, Syracuse, Utica, Rochester and Buffalo.

In 1911 the legislature superseded the court of claims by a board of claims, whose duties were the same as those which previously had been conferred on the court of claims. Chapter 1 of the Laws of 1915 restored the court of claims. Supreme Court Justice G. D. B. Hasbrouck was a judge of the court of claims for several years before the court was superseded by the board of claims.



FREDERICK G. TRAVER.

District Attorney Frederick G. Traver has been associated with the district attorney's office of Ulster county for the past sixteen years. During all of which time he has been associated with the various district attorneys of the county in the preparation and trial of criminal cases, many of which he has conducted. He is a son of the Rev. V. N. Traver, who formerly was pastor of

the Methodist Episcopal Church at Edenville and who occupied various other churches in the New York Conference until his retirement from the active ministry several years ago. His father since his retirement has resided at Wallkill.

After receiving his education at Claverack Institute and Syracuse University, Mr. Traver entered the offices of Judge John G. Van Etten for the study of law in 1898. He remained with Judge Van Etten for one year when he entered the offices of the late District Attorney Charles P. Cantine, with whom he was associated during all of Judge Cantine's term of service in the district attorney's office and until Judge Cantine's election to the county court bench in 1904. During the time he was a student Mr. Traver rendered valuable service both in an editorial and reportorial capacity with The Freeman, and his well balanced judgment and careful discrimination led to deep regret when he decided to take up the study of law instead of newspaper work. Mr. Traver was admitted to the bar in 1902 and during the last two years of Judge Cantine's administration as district attorney he was Judge Cantine's assistant.

He continued as assistant district attorney during the administration of District Attorney Frederick Stephens, Jr., and also during all of the term of office. A few years ago the board of supervisors authorized the appointment of an assistant district attorney, which office had been authorized and filled regularly by appointment for many years in Ulster county until the term of District Attorney F. Arthur Westbrook. Up to the time of Mr. Traver's appointment under the authorization by the board of supervisors, he had been assistant district attorney by courtesy and up to that time under the law he could not appear before the grand jury for the purpose of conducting investigations before that body. Under his appointment the law gave him the same powers that are exercised by the district attorney.

During all the years of Mr. Traver's service in the district attorney's office, every body who has had occasion to visit this office has united in praise of the kindly and courteous treatment accorded to them by Mr. Traver, whose fairness and impartiality in all matters have been proverbial. His ability has long been recognized and his thorough knowledge of criminal law, and his thorough-going methods and conscientious application to the study of all phases of all cases which he has handled, whether criminal or civil, have attracted attention among all observers. In both criminal and civil cases, whether as assistant district attorney in the former or as a member of the firm of Cunningham & Traver in civil matters, or in his individual capacity as a private citizen, Mr. Traver has been uniformly able, just and generous.

His appointment gives universal satisfaction throughout the county and to the authorities elsewhere who have had business with the district attorney's office. When Governor Whitman's intention of appointing District Attorney Cunningham to the Court of Claims was announced, the question of Mr. Cunningham's successor came up for discussion and friends of Mr. Traver under the leadership of County Chairman Philip E. Fling, District Attorney Cunningham and the Hon. Joseph M. Fowler, whose friends had urged him to become a candidate, at once interested themselves in Mr. Traver and urged his appointment, which was made with the unanimous approval of the Republicans throughout the county.

Milton Hotel Sold.
Joseph J. Grennan, proprietor of the Milton Hotel at Milton, has closed a deal for the sale of his hotel to Edward J. Schowen of Pine Plains, N. Y. Schowen will take possession of the hotel on January 1. Grennan's home is in Beacon where, for a number of years, he was head clerk at the Hotel Hamilton. He is now considering a proposition to go to South America.

In the Swim.
The goldfish thinks nothing of a trip around the globe.—Boston Transcript.

DAY'S WAR NEWS AT A GLANCE

Paris—Two Austrian destroyers sunk in Adriatic in battle with Allied fleet. French repulsed German attack west of Peronne and in Champagne prevented Germans from repairing shattered trenches. Reported Austrian submarine sunk in Adriatic.

London—Daily News predicts revolution in Great Britain if government adopts conscription. Dispatch from Athens says it is semi-officially announced that Bulgarian ports of Varna and Trakia bombarded by Russian warships.

Berlin—Reichstag committee, which investigating food conditions, reported existing supply is sufficient to feed Germany's population no matter how long war lasts.

The Hague—Germany is said to be making preparations for big drive on Franco-German front. Germans retreating positions captured by French at Hartmanns-Weierkopf.

Cettinje—Austrians suffered another defeat at hands of Montenegrins, being in full retreat from Raskovazora.

LABOR AGAINST CONSCRIPTION

By Telegraph to The Freeman.
London, Dec. 30.—Revolution in Great Britain is predicted by The Daily News if the government adopts conscription. While the newspaper does not use the word "revolution" it says that drastic compulsory service would probably make a deadly breach in the unity of the nation, break the splendid traditions of the country and unsettle the spirit of the people.

The reported decision of the Asquith ministry to adopt modified conscription was both defended and attacked by the press.

A cabinet council will be held tomorrow when the opposition of the Irish National and Labor Parties will be discussed. A tentative agreement to exclude Ireland from the workings of a conscription by the house has not been reached, but it would be impossible to eliminate the working class county court bench in 1904. During the time he was a student Mr. Traver rendered valuable service both in an editorial and reportorial capacity with The Freeman, and his well balanced judgment and careful discrimination led to deep regret when he decided to take up the study of law instead of newspaper work. Mr. Traver was admitted to the bar in 1902 and during the last two years of Judge Cantine's administration as district attorney he was Judge Cantine's assistant.

\$5,000 PAID TO STREET WORKERS

Street Superintendent W. Scott Van Keuren made a large number of men happy this morning when he distributed city checks amounting to over \$5,000 to the members of the street force and the extra men who had been engaged in the removal of the snow from the city streets.

No ashes will be collected in the city on Saturday and residents of the Eighth, Ninth and Thirtieth wards should remember to put the ash barrel out on Friday when the ashes will be taken up with the Sixth and Seventh wards.

J. D. P. HASBROUCK SUCCEEDS TRAVER

District Attorney Frederick G. Traver today filed the appointment of J. DePuy Hasbrouck as assistant district attorney, to take effect at once.

Mr. Hasbrouck is a native of High Falls. He was engaged in work in Washington, D. C., for several years and took up the study of law in the office of the late Judge Charles P. Cantine when he was district attorney, about the same time that District Attorney Traver began the study of law there. He is a graduate of Rutgers College. Since his admission to the bar he has practiced in this city and several years ago represented the State of New York in actions which were begun by the state to recover penalties for violation of the agricultural law and other laws.

District Attorney Traver also filed the appointment of William P. Glass as stenographer to the grand jury. Mr. Glass has been stenographer in the district attorney's office for several years and some time ago was appointed stenographer to the grand jury by Judge Cunningham.

CUMMINGS FLATS DAMAGED BY FIRE

Fire this morning gutted two floors of the three story brick building on the corner of Lucas and Washington avenues, destroying all the furniture and interior of the rooms, which were used as apartments by Hebrew families. The alarm was sounded at 8:30 and although Wiltwyck Hose Company was quickly at the scene, the yellow pine in the building quickly caught fire and it was a half hour before the blaze was extinguished. Excelsior and Wagon Hose Companies also responded. The flames spread so rapidly that none of the furniture could be saved.

An overheated stove in the tailor shop of Abraham Rubin, set the woodwork afire and the rest of the room was ablaze in a second. The shop is on the Washington avenue side of the building and Rubin was busy shovelling snow when he noticed the flames issuing from the room. He and others shut the doors and windows, thereby assisting in keeping the fire from spreading to the adjoining rooms. Fortunately the fire was not a stubborn one or all the apartments would have been ruined. As it was, the two lower floors were flooded by water out the top floor was unharmed, except by smoke.

William Dooley, a cripple on the third floor, was removed from the building in time and later removed in the ambulance to the home of friends on North Front street.

The building was the property of the estate of the late James Cummings and was insured for \$2,000. The furniture of the tailor was insured for \$600.

Cornell Hose's Quick Run.
This morning after an alarm of fire had been rung in for the big fire downtown Cornell Hose Company was the first company on the scene and two and one-half minutes after the alarm had been turned in had a snow field here today for the first time in ten years. Cold weather, markedly quick time and the cornucopians to damage the orange crop, many deserve great credit.

SALVATION ARMY BARRACKS BLOWN UP

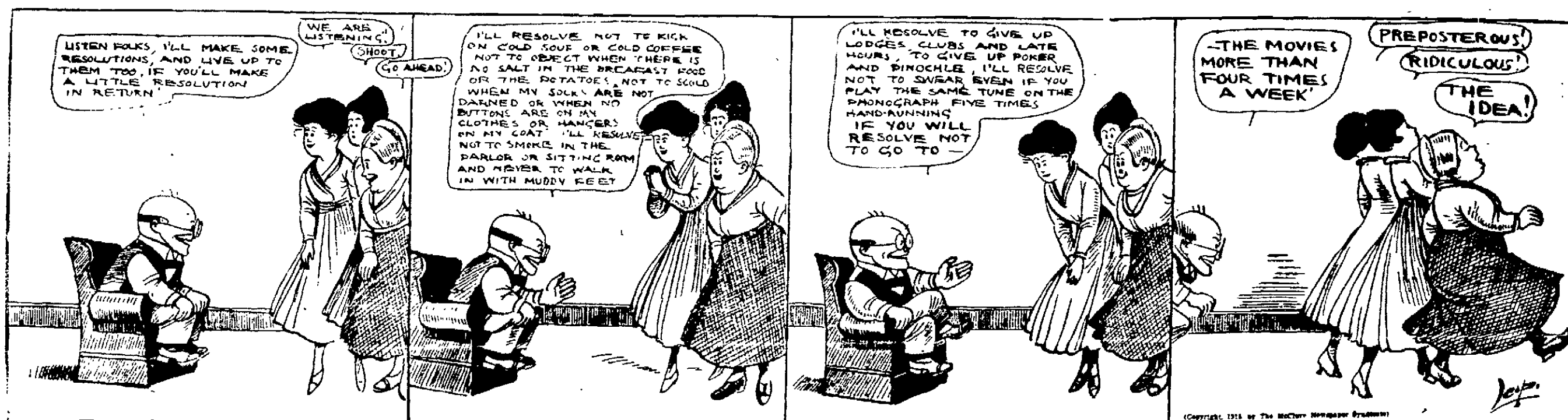
By Telegraph to The Freeman.
Butte, Mont., Dec. 30.—A mysterious explosion of dynamite early today wrecked the Salvation Army barracks near the center of the city and badly damaged several adjoining buildings. There was no loss of life so far as known.

The Tait Hotel, a four-story brick structure adjoining, and the Flinlen Hotel, one of the largest in the city, were badly damaged. Three hundred were routed out and rushed into the streets below zero. The entire police and detective force has been called out. The source of the explosion is a mystery, but the belief is strong that a gang of Industrial Workers of the World, whose leaders were sent from Butte to the penitentiary for dynamiting Miners' Union Hall here, have planned a campaign of revenge.

Twenty persons rooming in the second story of the wrecked barracks had narrow escapes. The dynamite was placed just inside the doors of the Salvation Army hall.

New Haven Evidence All In.
By Telegraph to The Freeman.
New York, Dec. 30.—All the evidence in the New Haven conspiracy trial was completed at 12:35 p. m. and court adjourned until Monday, when the attorneys will begin their summing up. The trial began on October 18 and eleven former directors of the New Haven railroad, all millionaires, were defendants, accused of conspiracy to violate the Sherman anti-trust law.

First Snow in Ten Years.
By Telegraph to The Freeman.
San Bernardino, Cal., Dec. 30.—Snow fell here today for the first time in ten years. Cold weather, markedly quick time and the cornucopians to damage the orange crop, many deserve great credit.



DOINGS OF THE VAN LOONS—It Was a Pretty Good Safe Offer of Father's at That.

BY F. LEPPINGER

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BUREAU OF SOCIAL SERVICE NOTES

The Bureau of Social Service wishes to thank the various organizations and individuals, who by co-operating with the Bureau made it possible for the Christmas giving to be more systematic, not only preventing duplication, but with greater benefit to the recipients. Besides acting as a clearing house, the Bureau remembered over fifty families, in whom they are especially interested, with Christmas dinners, clothing and toys.

The Bureau gratefully acknowledges the assistance of the following organizations and individuals in remembering these fifty families: Miss Holmes's Sunday school class, of the Wurts Street Presbyterian Church; Albany Avenue Baptist Church; Westminster Guild of the Rondout Presbyterian Church; Kijkuit Club of St. John's Church; Clinton Avenue Methodist Church; Miss Milard's Sunday school class of the Elmendorf Presbyterian Church; Camp Fire Girls of the Holy Comforter; Miss Barian's Class of the St. James M. E. Church; Philathea Class of the Wurts Street Baptist Church; Miss Sarah Miller's Class of the Elmendorf Presbyterian Church; Miss Gertrude Smith's Class of the Fair Street Reformed Church; Mrs. Faine's Class of the St. James M. E. Church; Miss Minnie Schwartz's Class of the Fair Street Reformed Church; Mrs. P. C. MacDonald's Class of the Trinity Methodist Church; Miss Edith Tongue's Class of the Trinity Methodist Church; Mrs. Nunolo's Class of the Trinity Methodist Church; Mrs. N. D. J. Murphy; Mrs. Fannie T. Stewart; Mrs. E. V. Allen; W. B. Roosa; Mrs. Sam Bernstein; Mrs. Sarah Crosby; Mrs. M. J. Michael; Dr. H. P. Van Wageningen; Scout Commissioner Charles A. Warren; and Boy Scouts; W. H. Brigham; Miss Margaret Risley's Class of the St. James M. E. Church and Harry P. Dodge.

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PORT EWEN.

Port Ewen, Dec. 30.—Mrs. Calvin Cutler is ill at her home on Broadway. Dr. G. W. Ross is the attending physician.

Midweek prayer service will be held in the Reformed and Methodist Churches this evening at 7:30 o'clock. All are invited to these services.

John Neal is ill of grip at his home on Salem street.

Little Miss Violet Cutler is ill at her home on Broadway.

Mrs. Hetta Moore of Kingston is spending a few days with her daughter, Mrs. Calvin Cutler on Broadway.

Lafayette Terpening is ill at his home on Salem street.

Philip Vining and son, Lester, of New Salem were in this place on business Wednesday.

The Teachers of Kingston spent Wednesday with friends in this village.

A special meeting of the Brotherhood of the Reformed Church will be held this evening at 8:30 o'clock, immediately after the prayer service. A good attendance is desired.

WALKER VALLEY.

Walker Valley, Dec. 29.—Mr. and Mrs. Henry Polhamus and two daughters, Alma and Bessie, spent Christmas day at their daughter and sister's, Mrs. George Carmen's, at Thompson Ridge.

George Marshall and B. Polhamus spent Thursday in Ellenville.

Arthur Griffin, who is attending high school at Ellenville, is spending the holidays at his home here.

Miss Sarah Depuy, our school teacher, is spending her holiday vacation at home in Ellenville.

Miss Catherine Greer of New York is visiting her brothers, James and Harry Greer.

Frank Scott and son, Milton, attended the funeral of their son and brother, Fred Scott, Sunday, who died in New York. Burial in Jersey.

Mr. and Mrs. Francis Marshall and son, Kenneth, are spending the holidays with their mother, Mrs. Decker, at Kingston.

Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Jansen spent Christmas day with the former's sister, Mrs. H. E. Hewitt, at Pine Bush.

Mrs. Charles Mack and son, Lester, spent Christmas and over Sunday with Mrs. E. E. Morrow, Mrs. Mack's mother.

Mr. and Mrs. Silas Miller entertained their children and grandchildren Christmas day.

Mr. and Mrs. James Harrigan are spending the holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Quinlin.

Miss Lizzie Scott of Pine Bush and Dan Scott of Walkkill spent Christmas with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Scott, of this place.

Mr. and Mrs. William Quinn of Brooklyn, who purchased the France property, are stopping with their sister, Mrs. L. E. Cox, for a time.

Miss Alta Depew is spending the holidays at Highland with her friends, the Misses Scott.

James Cox is spending the Yuletide with his aunts and uncles in Brooklyn.

Mrs. J. C. Depew spent Friday in Walden.

Christmas Repeaters Balked.

The decision of six churches in Middletown to have Christmas exercises of the Sunday schools on the same evening is said to have been arrived at to prevent children from going from one church to another for presents, which they have done when the entertainments were on different evenings. All held exercises Tuesday night at the same hour.

Daily Thought.

I seek no thorns, and I catch the small joys. If the door is low I stoop down. If I can remove the stone out of my way I do so. If it be too heavy I go round it. And thus every day I find something which gladdens me.—Goethe.

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For the six months ending Dec. 31st, 1915, interest will be credited Jan. 1st, 1916, at 4 per cent per annum.

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Women and children under age have by law the control of their own saving bank accounts.

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Leaves Kingston.—6:30, 7:40, 9:00, 9:50, 10:30 and 11:25 a. m. 12:15, 12:50, 1:20, 2:40, 3:20, 4:00, 4:40, 5:25 and 6:20 p. m.

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Fancy Turkey, lb. 28c
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Fancy Geese, lb. 22c
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Jack Rabbit, each .65c
Cotton Tail Rabbit, each .35c
Small Leg Pork, lb. 12 1/2c
Lean Shoulder Pork, lb. 12 1/2c
Pork to fry, lb. 10c
Pork Sausage, lb. 12 1/2c
Cross Rib Pot Roast, lb. 16c
Sirloin Pot Roast, lb. 12 1-2c
Chuck Pot Roast, lb. 10c
Porterhouse Steak, lb. 14c
Sirloin Steak, lb. 14c
Lean Stew Beef, lb. 10c
Hamburger Steak, lb. 12 1-2c
Bacon, 2 lbs. strip. 19c
Liverwurst, 3 lbs. 25c
Head Cheese, 3 lbs. 25c
Leg Lamb, lb. 10c
Lamb Chop, lb. 12 1-2c
Stew Lamb, 3 lbs. 25c
Salt Spare Ribs, lb. 10c
Fancy Apples, pk. 25c
Large Head Lettuce, 10c
Celery Heart, bunch, 10c
Mixed Nuts, lb. 15c
Walnuts, 2 qts. 15c
Cranberries, qt. 10c
Spinach, pk. 20c
Creamery Butter, lb. 30c
Lard, lb. 10c
Fresh Eggs, doz. 32c
Cabbage, head. 5c. 6c
Sweet Potatoes, qt. 8c
Red Onions, 3 qts. 10c
7 Large Grapefruit, 25c
18 Large Oranges. 25c
Fancy Lemons, doz. 24c
Raisins, 3 pkgs. 25c
Mince Meat, 3. 25c
Dates, 3 pkgs. 25c
Buckwheat Flour, 3. 25c
Potatoes, pk. 30c

ADVERTISERS ESTIMATE THE VALUE BY THE CIRCULATION. And The Freeman has a circulation double that of all other Kingston dailies combined.

AT A SPECIAL TERM OF THE SUPREME COURT, the city of Kingston, New York, on the 27th day of November, 1915, President, Hon. William F. Rudd, Justice, in the matter of the application of Potter Sloan, O'Donoghue Company, for authority to change its name to Republic Can & Metal Company, Inc., filed the petition of Potter Sloan, O'Donoghue Company, a domestic corporation, duly verified by Alfred J. Sloan, its president, wherein said petitioner prays for an order authorizing it to assume another corporate name, to-wit: the name Republic Can & Metal Company, Inc., and upon filing the certificate of the said court, the said petition was read and the name which such corporation proposes to assume is not the name of any other domestic corporation or a name which he deems so nearly resembling it as to be calculated to deceive and upon filing proof that a copy of the petition herein and of the notice of motion were duly filed with the secretary of state, and upon filing due proof by affidavits, showing that notice of presentation of said petition has been duly published once in each week for three successive weeks, in the Kingston Daily Freeman, a newspaper of the county of Ulster, in which county such corporation has its principal office, and also once in each week for three successive weeks in the Brooklyn Daily Times, a newspaper in the county of Kings, in which county such corporation has a business office, and the court being satisfied by said petition and by the affidavits and certificate presented thereon that the petition is true and that there is no reasonable objection to the change of name proposed, and that the petition has been duly authorized, and that notice of the presentation of the petition, as required by law, has been made.

Says on motion of Decker & Allen, attorneys for the said petitioner, and no one opposing it.

It is ordered that said petition be and the same is hereby granted, and that the petitioner, Sloan, O'Donoghue Company, be and it hereby is authorized to assume another corporate name, to-wit: the name Republic Can & Metal Company, Inc., on and after the 31st day of December, 1915, and it is

FURTHER ORDERED AND DIRECTED that this order be entered and the same be published in the Kingston Daily Freeman, a newspaper published in the county of Ulster, beginning within ten (10) days after the entry hereof.

Enter, WM. F. RUDD, J. S. C.

NO EVEN SELLING CHART

Markets in different sections of this continent differ. Some parts consume more food products than others, while sales elsewhere will show a higher percentage for dry goods.

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It can be adapted to the season. No advertising need be wasted.

There is little or no guess work—and through its intensiveness in results it secures the co-operation of local dealers.

Manufacturers seeking light on sectional markets are invited to write to the Bureau of Advertising, American Publishers' Association, World Building, New York.

SAUGERTIES.

Saugerties, Dec. 30.—The Business Men's Association will hold their annual banquet at the Exchange Hotel Friday evening, January 21.

Ralph Moyer and wife of Amsterdam spent the past few days with Mr. and Mrs. John Vandeloop on Elm street.

Dr. O'Leary of Kingston was in town Tuesday.

The annual election of officers will take place in Esopus Tribe, No. 482, I. O. R. M., tonight. The officers will be installed January 6.

MONTECENUS HEIGHTS.

Montecenus Heights, Dec. 30.—Mr. and Mrs. Frank McDermott of Newburgh arrived on Christmas day to spend the holiday week with their relatives, J. Lennon and family.

Thomas Morehouse visited Kingston one day last week on business.

Miss Hazel Merline called on the Rev. and Mrs. A. Quick last Friday evening.

Charles Hartlein returned from the city to spend the holiday with his family here.

Calvin Sherman of Granite, with an assistant, was in this place one day last week getting his steam saw mill ready for business.

Percy Green and Frank, Jr., were home for Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. Elijah Coddington and brother, Peter, spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Eli Quick.

An appropriate Christmas service was held at the Morehouse home on Christmas morning, after which a bountiful dinner, contributed by the members, was enjoyed by all.

Montecenus Gray of Palentown took another load of barrels from Harry Smith's Monday.

Leonard Van Etten attended a meeting of the town officials on Monday and Wednesday.

Harry Smith was an Ellenville visitor one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hartlein and family spent Christmas eve with J. Lennon and family.

The barn on the Frank Riley place collapsed during the big storm, beginning December 13.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Smith and little daughter spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Van Etten.

S. Lavine is painting whenever the permits one of the large Jewish boarding houses near Rhinecliff.

Solomon Entiaff returned from the city Tuesday, where he has been visiting relatives for the past few weeks.

It seems "blizzardy" storms are quite frequent this winter. We are having one at the present time. The storm on Sunday did not prove to be as bad as was expected, much to the relief of all of us who dread impassable roads again.

The boys who have been enjoying fine coasting for a few days are sorry to have more snow come to spoil their fun for a time. Harold Van Etten has a fine new pair of coasting bobs he is anxious to try.

Mrs. George Thomas and daughter visited at her father's home from Saturday until Monday afternoon. Mrs. Thomas and daughter, Mrs. Harry Smith and little daughter, the Misses Edna and Olive Smith and brother, Henry, were of the party. Miss Edna remains with Mrs. Thomas for a few days.

The pupils of this district are enjoying their holiday vacation.

LIEBHARDT.

Liebhardt, Dec. 30.—Preaching services will be held on Sunday afternoon in the M. E. Church at the usual hour by Rev. Mr. Heroy of Accord.

Miss Georgia Hornbeck spent Tuesday at the home of Mrs. Margaret Lawrence and Mrs. L. E. Lawrence.

The young people from this place who attended the house party at the home of Miss Ruby Rider at Whitfield last Saturday evening, reported a very pleasant time.

A number of the Liebhardt people are planning to attend the Christmas entertainment at Mettacaubonts school house Friday evening, December 31.

The Christmas exercise which was held at the Liebhardt school house on Friday afternoon passed off nicely and was enjoyed by all those who attended. At the close of the exercises, Miss Myers treated all her pupils to a box of candy and oranges.

Several have been confined to their home with bad colds and grip. Miss Merriam A. Brown is spending the holiday vacation at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Brown.

The school children are enjoying their week's vacation with coasting and skating when the weather permits.

Mrs. Perna Hornbeck and daughters Annie and Mildred spent Christmas with her mother, Mrs. Tina Gray.

Mrs. Hazel Baker, who has a position at Dow's school at Briarcliff visited relatives in this place last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Markle called at the home of Mrs. Markle's grandparents on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. William Hornbeck of Whitfield visited relatives in this place Sunday.

Mrs. Margaret Carter and daughter Gladys of Kingston spent Christmas with Mrs. Carter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Snyder. Mrs. Carter returned to Kingston on Monday and Miss Gladys going to Walden to spend her holiday vacation.

D. Mead Brown has been sick for a few days with a bad attack of the grip.

Miss Louella Brown, Ernest Brown, Miss Hazel Baker and Miss Beatrice Baker were pleasantly entertained at the home of Mrs. Jane Miller and Miss Minerva Miller at Mettacaubonts on Sunday.

Mrs. Alexander Brown spent Wednesday with her mother, Mrs. Eliza C. DeWitt.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Chrissy of Napanoch were guests of Mrs. Chrissy's parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Quick Sunday and Monday.

Ernest Brown was a guest of his friend Roy Quick at Montecenus last week.

WE'LL END 1915 WITH UNUSUAL OFFERINGS**TOILET ARTICLES****AT BIG SAVINGS****FOR THIS WEEK**

CUTICURA SOAP 18c
BABCOCK'S TALCUM POWDER 12c
PALM OLIVE SOAP 7c
LYONS TOOTH POWDER 15c
\$1.00 FOUNTAIN SYRINGE, Red Rubber, strictly firsts, extra value 79c
\$1.00 HOT WATER BAGS, Red Rubber, first quality 79c

Store Open Friday Evening, Dec. 31st
Closed All Day Saturday, Jan. 1st

Kingstons Popular Store

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Boy's Clothing Greatly Under-Priced

BUY BOOKS NOW**FOR THIS WEEK****ALL POPULAR COPYRIGHTS**

Including the very newest in the 50c line. Now 39c
Mary Holmes and Hopkinson Smith Series 19c
Boy's 25c Books, including Frank Merriwell and Bob Steele Series 19c
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PRE-INVENTORY CLEAN UP PRICES PREVAIL

Boy's Norfolk Style Suits in dark mixed Cassimere only, one or two of a kind, all sizes from 9 to 16 years. Sale Price 1.69
values \$2.50 to \$3.00.

Boy's Heavy School Overcoats with the belt all around, high collar, colors are blue and grey and brown mixed goods, \$2.50 to \$5.00. Sale Price 2.85

Boy's Norfolk Style Suits in dark mixed goods, some blue serges, some all wool Cassimere Cloth. Every suit guaranteed to fit, sizes 9 to 16 years, values \$3.50 to \$5.00. Sale Price 2.85

Boy's Norfolk Style Suits, the "Hubbel Wear" make with two pair of pants in blue, grey and brown cassimere, also blue serge. Special Price 2.95

Boy's All Wool Chinchilla Overcoats with the belt all around, high collar, colors are blue and grey. Sale Price 3.45

Boy's Heavy Winter Overcoats in dark brown and grey mixed goods, sizes 3 to 10 years, value \$2.50 to \$3. Sale Price 1.95

An "End of the Year" Sale of Ladies Garments

Sharp Decisive Price Cutting on Up to The Minute Coats, Suits, Skirts, Waists and Furs. No Fictitious Prices---Goods Are Marked in Plain Figures as Originally Priced

Rack 1, Value to 7.47

Junior, Misses and Ladies Coats, mostly in small sizes. Sale Price 3.69

Rack 4, Value to 13.97

Ladies and Misses Coats in mixtures, overplaids and solid colors. Sale Price 9.69

Rack 6

Ladies Suits, values up to \$11.00, medium colors, only a few mostly small sizes. Sale Price 5.69

Rack 8, Value to 13.97

Misses and Ladies Suits, medium and dark colors. Sale Price 9.69

Rack 2, Value to 9.00

Ladies and Misses Coats, medium and dark mixtures, some blacks. Sale Price 5.69

Rack 5, Value to 16.00

Ladies and Misses Colored and Black Coats, excellent materials, corduroys, zibelines, mixed tweed and overchecks. Sale Price 11.69

Rack 7

Ladies Suits, value up to \$12.00, medium and dark colors, only a few. Sale Price 7.69

Rack 9

Ladies and Misses Suits, fur trimmed, others of velvet and braid, every one a bargain. Sale Price 10.69

Rack 3, Value to 12.00

Ladies and Misses Coats, all colors and mixtures, some over plaids, zibelines and tweeds. Sale Price 7.69

Rack 10

Children's Coats, sizes 2 to 6 yrs., values \$2.50, materials are white and colored corduroys, zibeline, overchecks. Sale Price 1.97

Rack 10

Children's Coats, 2 to 6 yrs., values up to \$4.47 in white, boucles, eider-downs, corduroys and colored zibelines, mixtures and boucles. Sale Price 3.39

Rack 10

Ladies and Misses Suits, mostly dark colors, green, navies, browns, blacks. Sale Price 11.69

Ladies Top Skirts in corduroys, mixtures and serges, value up to \$3.00. Sale Price 1.97

Rack of Ladies Kimonos in crepes, figures and plain and figured flannelettes, values up to 1.25

Rack of Ladies Skirts, value up to \$5.97 in serges, mixtures and poplins. Sale Price 2.69

Table of Ladies Shirt Waists, value \$1.25, white voiles, batiste, hardly two waists of a kind, this lot, your choice 69c

Ladies Waists, value \$1.25, voiles, piques, sico, madras and lawns, sizes 34 to 50. Sale Price 97c

Ladies Tub Silk Waists, values 2.50 stripes and solid colors. Sale Price 1.97

End of The Year Bargains In Domestics**Muslins, Sheets and Pillow Cases at Far Less Than Regular Prices****36-INCH WHITE MUSLIN**

For this sale we offer 2,500 yards of yard wide, soft finished White Muslin, limit 20 yards. Special price, per yard 5 1/2c

BEST 10c OUTING FLANNEL

The biggest value ever offered, great assortment of styles (20 yards limit) 8c

YARD WIDE ENGLISH LONG CLOTH

200 pieces of yard wide long cloth, soft finished, 10 yards to a piece. Special at 59c

9-4 SHEETING

Two cases of 24 yards wide unbleached sheeting, strong and serviceable regular 29c value. Special sale price 19 1/2c

EXTRA QUALITY MUSLIN

Bleached, one of the best grades, full yard wide. Never sold at less than 10c. Special (Limit 1 piece) 7c

\$3.50 WHITE BLANKETS

Two cases of handsome white bed blankets, warm and fluffy, a serviceable quality, with 4-inch wide silk binding, in blue, pink and gold; regular \$4 value. Pair 2.98

\$1.00 ENGLISH LONG CLOTH

2 cases of an exceptionally good quality English Long Cloth; 10 yards to a piece; full yard wide; worth \$1.00 piece. Special sale price, piece 89c

8c WHITE CAMBRIC

Regular 8c quality cambric; full yard wide; for underwear, etc. (Limit 20 yards.) Sale price 6 1/2c

10c CURTAIN SCRIM

36 inches wide, colored border 7 1/2c

25-INCH DOMET FLANNEL

To be used for diapering or nursery use. 25 inches wide. Limited quantity. Special sale price (10 yards limit) 3 1/2c

SCARFS AND SHAMS

A table full of Scarfs, Pillow Shams and Center Pieces; some slightly soiled from the holidays. values up to 45c 19c

BEST QUAL. APRON GINGHAMS

Fast color, extra grade gingham; full assortment of checks in blue and white. 7c value 5c

Remnants of Curtain Materials, Cretonne and Silkoline at Greatly Reduced Prices

Little Interview With History. "Is it true, madam," said I, meeting History upon the street, "that you repeat yourself?" "Surely," she replied, smiling sweetly. "I find that if I repeat myself persistently, by sheer force of reiteration I sooner or later come to believe myself."

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Conscription is hateful to free peoples, but there is no longer any doubt that the British Government is about to resort to it, just as our own Government was compelled to do in order to end our own civil war. We had our own draft riots, but, while bloody enough, they were ineffective. Whether this history will repeat itself in Great Britain remains to be seen. The fact that the Cabinet has hesitated so long and has practically decided to exempt Ireland, indicates that the ministers are afraid. The newspapers are printing articles tinged with foreboding. They do not exactly predict anything like a revolution, but they talk of division of sentiment in the nation and so forth. The union labor leaders apparently have the situation pretty well in their own hands. Some of them, when accused of lack of patriotism, have boldly replied that they have "patriotism to sell." Some of them have openly asserted that the war is a game to make capitalists rich at their expense. They seem to be unanimous in their determination not to let their members work in munition plants with non-unionists, no matter whether the British army runs short of ammunition or not.

An ironical feature of the situation is that Lloyd George, who has been pleading so humbly with the union leaders to save the country, is the man who did more than any one else to put them in power and carry out all their demands. As the Los Angeles Times says: "It was this same Lloyd George, this same emotional rhetorician, who championed every phase of unionist legislation, the father of old age pensions, of state insurance, against sickness and unemployment, of mothers' pensions and every other form of pampering paternal legislation, the taxer of the efficient and self-supporting, the self-appointed champion of the people, who has placed Britain at the foot of the selfish trade unions, who has stirred up class hatred as it was never stirred in England before, who now bewails the treachery of his protégés." The Times, because of its unfortunate experiences, is unduly bitter toward trade unions in general, but there is plenty of truth in what it says. A government by trades unions and a government by the people cannot exist in the same country together without disaster.

Now, there are trades unions in France and Germany as well, but they are under Government domination. Such strikes as England has had are impossible in those countries. The leaders would be promptly court-martialed and shot or hung. The lesson is that a country which emphasizes the liberty of the individual is at a disadvantage in a war with a country where the State is everything and the individual nothing. It is now the fashion to predict that the war will result in the spreading of democracy, but if aristocracy should prove more efficient this might not occur. It is an old story in the record of the human race that national disaster frequently is followed by the appearance of the "man on horseback." There is nothing "new and dried" about the happenings of the next few years.

Perpetual world peace will not arise for some time yet, and the United States may yet have to face the conscription problem. With some such possibility in mind, Senator Chamberlain of Oregon, chairman of the Senate Committee on Military Affairs, has introduced a bill in Congress making compulsory the physical and military training of every physically fit boy and man between the ages of 12 and 25 years. As this training would be done at National expense, these youths would unquestionably be liable to be called to bear arms in case of war. There is undoubtedly a strong sentiment in favor of this plan. We have a letter from Captain Meagher of Company M of Kingston in which he writes: "A military education or even a three year enlistment in the National Guard is a big asset to a boy during this period of his development. There is every reason for an equal and uniform military training for all able bodied boys between the ages of 16 and 20 years." Captain Meagher admits that "compulsory military training is antagonistic to our ideas of citizenship," but maintains that it is "the only logical, economical and fair method of providing for protection.

In nearly all the schemes put forward on preparedness they fail to consider about 75 per cent of our population, which is fundamentally wrong."

As we have said, there is a strong sentiment in favor of this compulsory training plan, but there is also a strong sentiment against it. Which is the more powerful we do not know. There is reason to believe that practically all the union labor leaders will be found in the opposition camp. Of course, the professional pacifists will be there. So will hosts of parents who are sure that we shall never get into another war, and who prefer to have their children devote all the hours of their school age to studying the subjects now taught in the public schools. Sooner or later the people will have to vote on this proposition, and it is well to begin right away to study it.

LITTLE LAUGHS.

Mildred—"I have only two girl enemies, and they don't speak to each other." Josephine—"How fortunate."—Judge.
"See here, I'm told you called me a 'blithering idiot.'" "I did not." "Umph!" "Blithering is an adjective I never use."—Birmingham Age-Herald.
Mr. Pessimist (cheering up, as he reads paper)—"British Mesopotamian success." Mrs. Pessimist—"That's the worst of it. They mess up all their successes."—Punch.
"Seth Snuggles says you are another Daniel Webster." "Yes," replied Senator Sorghum; "Seth is always comparing me with somebody who is dead."—Washington Star.

Agent (entering office) "I've an attachment for your typewriter, sir, which I—" Busy Man—"Well, settle it with her. Your love affairs are no concern of mine."—Boston Transcript.
Enthusiastic lady—"Oh, sir, may we tarry here awhile and drink deep of these rural delights?" Practical native—"Can't drink nothing" deep here, lady. This year's a dry town."—Baltimore American.

He Had a Good Excuse.

It had been their first separation, and during one week the young husband had sent his dear little wife 10 letters, 15 picture postcards and four telegrams.
Why, then, this touch of coolness in his welcome on his return?
"Dearest," he whispered, "what I drew her to my manly bosom, 'what is wrong?' What have I done to upset my ducky-wopsy?"
"George," she replied, in broken tones, "you didn't send me a kiss in your seventh letter!"
George thought like lightning for a moment before he replied:
"I know I didn't pety, but I had steak and onions that night for supper and you wouldn't like me to kiss you after eating onions, would you?"—Kansas City Star.

How Long?

Governor Livingston Doeckman of Rhode Island said at a Newport luncheon:
"Business morality won't be right till it harmonizes absolutely with the morality of the church and home."
A millionaire whose name was in all the papers for a franchise grab had just pulled off a returned home to find his little son in tears. The boy had been whipped for a raid on the jam closet.
"Papa," he said, bitterly, as he limped about the room with his hand on the sore place, "papa, how long'll it be before I stop gettin' licked for stealin' and gettin' banquets given to me for it, like you do?"—Boston Post.

Said at Last.

On one occasion a Highland minister called upon Dr. Alexander Whyte of Edinburgh for some financial assistance for the work in the north. Dr. Whyte regretted that he could not afford to assist the Highlander, but advised him to visit a wealthy layman in the city.
Going to the house of the wealthy layman, the Highlander found him disinclined to give and unceremonious in manner. Noted at his reception, the Highlander answered brusquely. Resounding the tone, the rich man asked, "And whom do you take me for?"
"A fire-dorssing sinner like myself," came the quick retort.
Returning to Dr. Whyte, he explained the circumstances.
"You did not say that?" eagerly asked the doctor.
"Aye, I did," replied the other.
"Well, well! I've been wanting to say that to him for the last 15 years. Here's a five-pound note for your fund."—Philadelphia Public Ledger.

Her Fourth.

Edith Root, at a luncheon in Albany, talked about the veracity of witnesses.
"It is so remarkable after all," he said, "that a good many witnesses will lie."
Once, in an Albany court, a lady witness's veracity was seriously impugned. She took the thing very badly. She shouted at the cross-examining lawyer:
"I want you to know, sir, that I've never told but three lies in my life."
"And this one makes the fourth," said the lawyer.—Albany Knickerbocker Press.

TWENTY AND TEN YEARS AGO.

December 30, 1895.—Hotel of Ida McBride on the Saugerties road totally destroyed by fire.
The court of sessions, in existence for 150 years, held its last session in Kingston.
Dr. R. Lousbarn re-elected health officer. Joseph A. Costello sanitary inspector and Augustus Schepmoes secretary to the board of health.

Optimistic Thought.

A man must be a hero to understand a hero.

WIND DAMAGE AT PINE GROVE

Pine Grove, Dec. 30.—One of the heaviest wind storms that has been known for years swept this place on Sunday morning. The large barn of Edward Bishop and wagon house of Myer Snyder were blown completely down. The wind mill was blown from the Washburn barn, chimneys were blown from houses, trees uprooted, telephone wires strung down and roads were blocked with fallen trees, making traveling impossible. The barn roof of Fred Wales at Daisy was blown off, the barns of Frederick Pfisterer and Charles Van Stenberg were blown down and the house of the latter badly racked. Chimneys were blown from the house and windows crashed in. The house of the late Mrs. Vedder at Daisy was also slightly damaged. The kitchen roof was blown from the Mountain View Hotel; the porch was torn from the house of Mrs. Buckman and the chicken house of John Graham was blown across the road and smashed in front of the house occupied by Roy Crosswell and family, and was so badly damaged that the family took French leave and are now at the home of his parents. Some of the apple orchards along the state road are nearly ruined. Many other buildings received more or less damage and the people of Pine Grove believe it to be the "worst ever."

A young gentleman from West Saugerties started out for Woodstock (probably to call on his lady friend) on Sunday afternoon and upon reaching the top of William Spring's hill a heavy gust of wind came up and upset horse, sleigh and driver, throwing the cushions from the sleigh into the brook nearby and the driver lost his hat. The horse and driver escaped without any serious injury, but the sleigh was badly broken. Although the young man carried an axe with him, the roads were so badly blocked with the fallen trees that he decided to return home, though much disappointed.

Charles Bishop and son, Walter, and Mrs. Henry C. Burton and daughter, Viola, took Christmas dinner with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Bishop.

Mrs. Charles Bishop and daughter spent Christmas with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ethan Yager, at West Saugerties.

Junison Herriek, who is ill with pneumonia, is better at present.

Mrs. Eleanor Mower and daughter, Nora, of Centerville spent Christmas with Peter A. Mower and family.

Miss Margaret Mower of Vassar College is spending the Christmas vacation at the home of her grandmother, Mrs. Jane Cheritree.

Charles W. Cooke, wife and daughter, Alice May, of Quarryville were guests of Mrs. Jane Cheritree on Christmas day.

Miss Lena Snyder of Vassar College is spending the holiday vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Snyder.

The large tree in front of the Centerville Hotel was blown down by the heavy wind storm on Sunday.

Mrs. Chester A. Bell and daughter, Marion of Brooklyn spent Christmas with her parents, Charles Snyder and wife.

Marguerite Bishop spent Thursday night with Marguerite Schoonmaker. There will be no school until after New Year.

Adelbert Lapo and wife and Miss Ada Russell of Woodstock were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Bishop on Tuesday afternoon.

Miss Hazel Spielman, who has been working at Woodstock, has returned home.

John Yager of West Saugerties spent Thursday evening at the home of Charles Bishop.

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The Agnes MacMurely farm has been purchased by a family by the name of Pluke, who have already taken possession.

Frank Burton, who has been laid up with a lame wrist, is able to be at work again.

There were two Santa Claus's in this place on Friday night and they called at several of the children's homes about the place. They were a lively couple and we hope to see them again next year.

Mr. and Mrs. William Doyle are parents of a baby boy. Mrs. Doyle is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Althier of this place.

Miss Edith Spring called on M. A. Bishop on Sunday afternoon.

Willing Workers of Mettuchahonts.

Mettuchahonts, Dec. 30.—The last meeting of the Willing Workers was held at Mrs. Jacob H. Baker's on Tuesday, Dec. 7, with a good attendance, seventeen ladies being present. Officers were elected as follows for the ensuing year: President, Mrs. Jacob S. Hornbeck; vice-president, Mrs. William H. Miller; secretary and treasurer, Mrs. Russell M. Miller; corresponding secretary, Miss Rissa L. DePuy. After discussing the usual business topics, light refreshments were served and all returned to their homes. The next meeting will be held on Tuesday, Jan. 4, at the home of Mrs. William F. Baum. All ladies interested in our Sunday school are cordially invited to attend these meetings.

Watch Night at Trinity.

There will be a Watch Night service in Trinity M. E. Church, Wurts street, on Friday evening of this week beginning at 9 o'clock with preaching by the pastor, followed by a social hour ending at 11:15 o'clock, after which will follow the regular Watch Night prayer service. All the city is invited to be present. No prayer meeting this evening.

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COFFEE AND TEAS.
Best Coffee 20c lb.
Best Tea, green or mixed 30c lb.
CAN GOODS.
Can Corn, Can Peas, Can Pumpkin 7c
New Buckwheat Flour 4c lb.
New Gold Medal Buckwheat Flour, 3 pkgs 25c
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SYRUP.
Golden Tree Syrup, 10-15-25c bot.
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6 pkgs Gold Dust 25c
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SPAGHETTI AND CHEESE.
Heinz's Spaghetti 13c can
Something New, Crowley's Cream Cheese in Cartons 10c
Large Spanish Onions 4c apiece
APPLES, LEMONS, BANANAS.
Lemons 20c doz
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Nice Large Hand Picked Apples, 25c peck

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Lamb Stew, lb 7c
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PORK! PORK! PORK! PORK!
Lasher don't cut any ice, but he cuts prices on the meat you eat.
Fresh Pig Hams, lb 14c
Pork Chops, lb 10-12 1/2c
Pork Roast, lb 10-12 1/2c
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Pork Shoulders, lb 10c
Pork Sausage, lb 10c
Pig's Heads and Pig's Feet 5c
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Kingston, N. Y., Dec. 10, 1915.
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CHIEF CHIPP HIT BY A TROLLEY CAR

Fire Chief Chipp was struck in the arm and his fire horse was cut about the head this morning when they were hit by a trolley car at the corner of Pearl and Fair streets. At the time the chief with Fireman William Geary driving was responding to an alarm of fire at the Cummins flats on Washington avenue and traveling at a fast clip toward the scene of the blaze. The trolley car was also traveling at a fast speed at the time and the splash with the two firemen in it was swift across the street. At the time it was struck by the trolley car, the part of the driver the sleigh was not overturned and the chief proceeded on to the fire without delay as fortunately neither the chief nor the horse was badly injured.

Cantata Well Attended

Wednesday evening's storm did not prevent a large attendance at the Christmas entertainment of the Sunday school of the Clinton Avenue Methodist Church and nearly 350 members of the school and church and their friends were present. A cantata entitled "Grandma's Christmas Eve" was given by sixty members of the school and proved one of the most attractive cantatas given in Kingston in a long time. The leading parts were taken by Miss Florence Wheeler, Miss Magdalena A. de, Miss Etnel Van Alken, Miss Ruth Bell, Miss Bana Merritt, Harold Best, Harold Dietz, Adelbert Miller, Willis Rider and Theodore Mayes, all of whom acquitted themselves with great credit. Miss Helen Aukerman, who took the part of the Fairy Queen, both looked and acted the part and delighted the audience by her charm and grace. Mrs. George Miller acted as accompanist. The cantata was given under the direction of Mrs. William Cranston and Miss Ethel Moore, to whose faithful instruction much of the success was due. Following the cantata, Santa Claus appeared and from a brilliantly lighted Christmas tree distributed gifts to the smaller members of the school. At the close of the entertainment all present were invited to the church parlors, where ice cream and cake were served.

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Pork Chops, lb. 16c
Chuck Steak, lb. 16c
Stew Beef, lb. 11c
Pure Home Headcheese, lb. 14c
Sweet Florida Oranges, doz. 25c 30c
Fancy Messina Lemons, doz. 20c
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Plum Pudding, 10c 15c 25c
Fancy English Walnuts, lb. 20c
Large Fancy Grape Fruit, each 5c

Lynch Succeeds Pendell.

Official confirmation has been received from William G. McAdoo, secretary of the treasury, of the appointment of Thomas J. Lynch of Poughkeepsie as general deputy collector of internal revenue to succeed Thomas Pendell, who is now associated with the National Democratic Publicity Bureau. Mr. Lynch has been assigned to the fourteen districts of which Roscoe Irwin is collector. His territory will comprise the Hudson river counties to the Canadian border and a portion of Connecticut. The salary is \$2,500 a year with traveling expenses. Mr. Lynch will have an office in the post office building at Poughkeepsie and a general office in the Albany post office.

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Van Wagenen'S

Tremendous Reductions From Regular Prices!

"If You Want Something GOOD, Go to VanWagenen'S"

ROSE'S 73 FRANKLIN STREET

"Where Quality Counts"

Specials For Thursday and Friday

Store will be open Friday evening until 10 o'clock.
Open New Year's Day until 10 o'clock A. M.

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| Pillsbury or Duluth Imperial Flour, | |
| 24 1-2 lb. sack | 85c |
| Pure Granulated Sugar, lb. | 6 1-2c |
| Rosedale Pineapple, large can | 15c |
| Campbell's Soups, 3 cans | 25c |
| Florida Oranges, sweet and juicy, 17 for | 25c |
| Florida Grape Fruit, 6 for | 25c |
| Fresh, Crisp Celery Hearts, bunch | 10c |
| Fresh Head Lettuce | 8c |

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| DRIED FRUITS | |
| New California Prunes, lb. | 12c |
| Large California Prunes, lb. | 12c |
| Evaporated Apples, lb. | 12c |
| Evaporated Apricots, lb. | 12c |
| Seeded Raisins, lb. | 12c |
| Currents, pkg. | 12c |
| Flgs, pkg. | 8-10c |
| Dates, pkg. | 3 for 25c |
| CORN STARCH | |
| Cream or Kingsford's, 1 lb. tin | 7c |
| GRIDDLE CAKE FLOUR | |
| Aunt Jemima, Gold Medal, Colonial, Sure Rising, pkg. 9c, 3 for | 25c |
| New Old Fashioned Buckwheat Flour, 10 lbs | 35c |
| MIXED Cakes | |
| Sugar, Speed or Honey Jumbles, Carthwells or Orange Cake, lb. | 25c |
| 1 lb. 2 lbs. | 25c |
| ALASKA SALMON | |
| Choice Pink, can 9c, 3 for | 25c |
| Fancy Red, Seward Brand, can | 17c |
| CANNED VEGETABLES | |
| Peas, Corn, String Beans, Lima Beans, Succotash, Pumpkin, Red Kidney Beans, etc., can 9c, 3 cans | 25c |
| PURE MAPLE SYRUP | |
| Direct From Delaware County, 1 gal. can | \$1.15 |
| Kato, can | 8c |
| Honey, light or dark, comb. | 15c |
| RICE, BARLEY, BEANS, ETC. | |
| Our Best Rice, 4 lbs. | 25c |
| Pearl Barley, lb. | 5c |
| Pearl Tapioca, lb. | 6c |
| N. Y. State Medium Beans, lb. | 8c |
| N. Y. State Marrow Beans, lb. | 10c |
| Lima Beans, lb. | 8c |
| Dried Peas, lb. | 7c |
| CEREALS | |
| Shredded Wheat, pkg. | 10c |
| Porre, pkg. | 10c |
| Malt Breakfast Food, large pkg. | 12c |
| Ralston Breakfast Food, pkg. 9c, 3 for | 25c |
| Holland Rusk, 6 cakes | 25c |
| SOAPS | |
| Lenox Soap, 6 cakes | 25c |
| Star Soap, 6 cakes | 25c |
| Sukman's Soap, 6 cakes | 25c |
| Rabbit's Soap, 6 cakes | 25c |
| Fels Naphtha, 6 cakes | 25c |
| Ivory Soap, 6 cakes | 25c |

Our Wish--A Happy New Year to All.

Planthaber's Big New Year Food Sale!

Housewives who have proper ideas on how to set a rich, New Year's table, but are prevented from doing so on account of limited means, should do their holiday food buying here Friday during our New Year's Sale. Most women who have traded here during the year that is now so near its end, know that they have received a helping measure of quality as well as quantity. We have won the good-will of these housewives and will endeavor to hold it during 1916. And here we take the opportunity to wish for our patrons, one and all, a "Happy, Prosperous New Year."

Friday Grocery Specials

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| Best Butter, lb. | 32c | English Walnuts, lb. | 45c |
| Process Butter, lb. | 29c | Soft Shell Almonds, lb. | 20c |
| 5 lbs. for | \$1.10 | New Figs, pkg. | 5c |
| Peanut Butter, 2 lbs. for | 25c | New Dates, pkg. | 8c |
| Oleomargarine, lb. | 17-25-27c | Fancy Dried Peaches, lb. | 10c |
| Pure Lard, lb. | 12c | New California Prunes, lb. | 10c |
| Full Cream Cheese, lb. | 20c | Fancy Clover Honey, pt. | 18c |
| Limburger Cheese, lb. | 20c | Fancy Oak Buckhead | 12c |
| 10c Jar Peanut Butter | 5c | Early June Peas, can | 7c |
| Domestic Sardines, 7 for | 25c | Strained Tomatoes, can | 5c |
| Imported Sardines, 3 for | 25c | Small Cans Tomatoes | 6c |
| Mixed Nuts, all guaranteed new | 15c | Large Cans Tomatoes, 3 for | 25c |
| | | Fancy Corn, can | 8c |
| | | All kinds of Cakes, lb. | 10-12c |

Friday Meat and Poultry Specials

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| Fancy Turkeys, Friday | 29c | Fancy Roasting Chickens, lb. | 23c | Fancy Fowls, Friday | 22c |
| Small Chickens, lb. | 18c | Fancy Geese, lb. | 23c | Fancy Ducks, lb. | 23c |
| DUTCH COUNTY PORK | | | | | |
| Stew Pork, 2 lbs. | 25c | Sirloin Steak | 22c | Finer Steak | 42c |
| Roast Pork, 1 lb. | 15c | Prime Rib Roast | 14-16c | Corned Beef | 10c |
| Pork Chops, whole | 15c | HOME MADE GOODS | | | |
| Leg of Pork, whole | 15c | Fresh Made Pork Sausage | 10c | Fresh Made Liver Sausage | 10c |
| Salt Pork, 2 lbs. | 25c | Fresh Made Headcheese | 12c | Ring Bologna | 10c |
| TENDER BEEF SPECIALS | | | | | |
| Chuck Steak | 11c | Frankfurters | 16c | | |
| Chuck Pot Roast | 14c | | | | |
| Round Steak | 22c | | | | |

GEORGE PLANTHABER

TELEPHONE 1072 UNION SHOP 30 EAST STRAND

SOCIETY NOTES.

Mrs. Rodney Osterhout will entertain at dinner on New Year's Eve, the party later attending the subscription dance.

Mrs. Joseph M. Fowler will be the hostess at a dinner tomorrow evening, preceding the subscription dance at St. Mary's Hall.

Dr. and Mrs. George Chandler will entertain at dinner on Friday evening, the guests later attending the New Year's Eve subscription dance.

The annual assembly subscription dance will be given in St. Mary's Hall on New Year's Eve, Friday evening. Music will be by Giosia. Tickets will be returned to those desiring to attend on receipt of checks.

The Auction Bridge Club had a specially enjoyable meeting this week at the home of Miss Mattie Sampter. The prize for the afternoon was awarded to Mrs. Watts. The afternoon concluded with the serving of delicious refreshments.

The Young Ladies' Sodality of St. Mary's Church will have a Christmas tree and concert this evening in St. Mary's School Hall. There will be vocal and instrumental music, presentation of gifts, refreshments and dancing. The affair will be for members exclusively.

Mrs. Geoffrey of The Stanhope, in Rosendale, entertained a number of guests from Brooklyn over the holidays. They were met at Kingston on Christmas Eve and enjoyed a sleigh ride to Rosendale stopping on the way, however, to attend midnight mass at St. Peter's Church on Wurts street. The out of town guests entertained were Mr. and Mrs. Schmidt, Miss Julia Schmidt, Mr. and Mrs. Post and Miss Margaret Post and Mr. and Mrs. Berth.

Monday evening Miss Mathilda J. Rice gave her annual Christmas reception in honor of her friend, Miss Lulu M. Smith, of Annandale, N. Y. Her home on Summer street was beautifully decorated for the occasion. Music and singing were the two main features of the evening. The young folks enjoyed themselves immensely in playing two games. The Peter Rabbit and the donkey game. Miss Smith winning first ladies' prize at the donkey game, and Mr. Rieser winning first gentleman's prize, and Mr. LaTour was the lucky winner of the booby prize. The Peter Rabbit game was played by the young ladies only. Miss Stumpf winning first prize, and Miss Kohler winning the booby prize. Those present were the Misses Lulu M. Smith, Lillian Wolf, Anna Stumpf, Lena Kohler, Elizabeth Rieser, Caroline McCullough, and Messrs. Harry Rieser, Fred Schantz, Herman LaTour, Harry Weber, and Mr. and Mrs. August Kohler. Luncheon was served at midnight, after which the young people departed, wishing that they all may be fortunate enough to attend next year's reception.

Barker-Robinson.

Myrtle Robinson of Lexington, N. Y., and Robert L. Barker of Windham, N. Y., were married at the parsonage of the Clinton Avenue M. E. Church on Christmas Day by the Rev. George M. Cranston.

Johnson-Rosca.

Warren Morris Johnson of Ticonderoga, N. Y., and Miss Anna Searle Rosca of Port Ewen were married at noon on Christmas Day by Rev. C. H. Polhemus at the residence of the bride's parents at Port Ewen.

Dunbar-DuBois.

At the parsonage of the Wurts Street Baptist Church on Wednesday afternoon Miss Della DuBois of this city, daughter of Richard DuBois, was married to Floyd Dunbar of New Durham, N. J., formerly of this city, by the Rev. Dr. A. K. Fuller.

A Return Engagement.

"The Miracle of Life," a photo play which was given at the Broad-

way Casino in November, will make a return engagement by request and will be again shown there on Tuesday evening, January 4. The play has the approval of club women, educators, industrial and labor leaders everywhere.

New York Produce Market.

Wheat—Mild Demand. December, \$1.25 nominal, May, \$1.31 nominal; spot No. 2 red winter, \$1.35 c. i. f. New York to arrive \$1.35 c. i. f. to arrive.

Corn—Dull. No. 2 yellow, 55c. Oats—Dull. No. 3 white, 48 1/2 c. 2 1/2 c. No. 4 white, 48 1/2 c. 2 1/2 c. Rye—Steady. No. 2 western, \$1.00 c. i. f. New York; state, \$1.05 c. o. b. New York.

Barley—Firm. Maltine, 75 c. 84 c. i. f. Buffalo; feeding, nominal c. i. f. Buffalo. Hay—Somewhat irregular. No. 1, 1.20 c. i. f. No. 2, 95 c. i. f. No. 3, 90 c. i. f. No. 4, 85 c. i. f. No. 5, 80 c. i. f. No. 6, 75 c. i. f. No. 7, 70 c. i. f. No. 8, 65 c. i. f. No. 9, 60 c. i. f. No. 10, 55 c. i. f. No. 11, 50 c. i. f. No. 12, 45 c. i. f. No. 13, 40 c. i. f. No. 14, 35 c. i. f. No. 15, 30 c. i. f. No. 16, 25 c. i. f. No. 17, 20 c. i. f. No. 18, 15 c. i. f. No. 19, 10 c. i. f. No. 20, 5 c. i. f. No. 21, 0 c. i. f. No. 22, 0 c. i. f. No. 23, 0 c. i. f. No. 24, 0 c. i. f. No. 25, 0 c. i. f. No. 26, 0 c. i. f. No. 27, 0 c. i. f. No. 28, 0 c. i. f. No. 29, 0 c. i. f. No. 30, 0 c. i. f. No. 31, 0 c. i. f. No. 32, 0 c. i. f. No. 33, 0 c. i. f. No. 34, 0 c. i. f. No. 35, 0 c. i. f. No. 36, 0 c. i. f. No. 37, 0 c. i. f. No. 38, 0 c. i. f. No. 39, 0 c. i. f. No. 40, 0 c. i. f. No. 41, 0 c. i. f. No. 42, 0 c. i. f. No. 43, 0 c. i. f. No. 44, 0 c. i. f. No. 45, 0 c. i. f. No. 46, 0 c. i. f. 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Special Sale

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Coats and Suits

at \$10.00

We place on sale to-day our stock of Winter Coats and Suits. The assortment includes:

Coats of Zibeline, Corduroy, Plush, Bedford Cords, Wide Wale Whip Cord, and Novelties.

Suits of Poplin, Whip Cords and Gabardine, some fur trimmed, others tailored.

The high standard of qualities of G. A. Hart & Co. Suits are well known to the trade, and every suit guaranteed as to workmanship, style and finish.

These Coats and Suits are all this season models and originally sold for from \$20 to \$30.

Special This Week \$10.00

G. A. HART & CO.
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Read these give away prices on groceries:

WINE AND LIQUORS.

Gold Medal and Bridal Veil Flour, 85c sack

Mar. Clover Milk, 11c can

Five Soda Crackers and Ginger Snaps, 6c lb

Special Blend Coffee, 20c lb

One Quality Black or Green Teas, 25c lb

Med. Raisins, pkg., 10c

Currants, pkg., 13c

Lemon and Orange Peel, lb., 15c

Medium Beans, lb., 7c

One Sauerkraut, can, 10c

Pkgs. Prepared Buckwheat, 25c

Large Bottle Maple Syrup, 25c

Boxes Matches, 25c

Cakes Babbit's Soap, 25c

Rolls Toilet Paper, 25c

Swiss and Limburger Cheese, 25c

Boxes Sardines, 25c

Large Jar Mustard, 25c

Finest Baking Powder in city, 2 lbs., 25c

Pkgs. Pop Corn, 25c

Bottles Catsup, 25c

lb Jar Cocoa, 25c

Fresh Pig Bars, 3c lb

Reinz's Dill Pickles, 20c doz

Reinz's Sweet Pickles, 12c doz

Vanilla Wafers, 10c lb

Wald Oil, 5c-10c bottle

1 bottle Port, 3 for \$1

1 bottle Sherry, 3 for \$1

1 bottle Rye, 3 for \$1

Gordon Gin, bottle, \$1.00

Special Rye Whiskey, qt., 50c

Full qt. Rock and Rye, 75c bot

Port, Catawba or Sherry Wine, 35c

bottle or 1.45 per gal., jug free

Fine Imported Sherry, qt. bot., 85c

Wilson Whiskey, 95c bottle

Paul Jones Whiskey, bottle, 90c

3 Star Brandy, 80c

Martini and Manhattan Cocktails, 85c

50 fine Cigars, 75c

Kimmel, per bottle, 75c

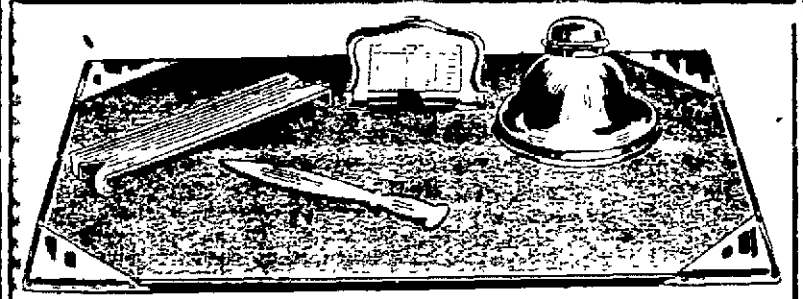
Fine Old Dry Gin, bottle, 90c

Large Bottle Vermouth, 70c

Cream Dementhe, bottle, 75c

Fine Old Burton Ale, 25c at bot.

Old Rye Whiskey, qt bottle, 75c



THIS DESK SET

Arrived too late for Christmas. There are only 50 in the lot, and in order to dispose of them quickly we have made the price

\$1.25 INSTEAD OF \$2.00

Other Brass Goods—just the thing for after-holiday gifts—have also been reduced in price.

GREGORY & CO.

CITY TREASURER'S NOTICE.

Special Assessment.

Notice is hereby given that I have received the warrant for the collection of a special assessment of 75 per cent of the expense incurred in the construction of a sanitary sewer for Abbey street between existing sewer in Abbey street and point about 300 feet on Abbey street, in the city of Kingston.

The same has been left with me for collection at my office in the city hall; that thirty days from the date of this notice said assessment may be paid without additional fees or charges, and that for the twenty succeeding days 2 per centum additional will be collected.

If any of the said special assessment shall remain unpaid at the time last mentioned, I shall give a written or printed notice to the person or persons against whom such assessment stands charged, requiring them to pay such unpaid assessment to me at my office within thirty days thereafter, with 5 per centum fees thereon, and one dollar for each notice, as required by the city charter.

Dated at the treasurer's office, city of Kingston, December 21, 1915.

F. H. DOREMUS, City Treasurer.

The many friends of Mr. and Mrs.

Lucas Avenue Heights.

George Green has gone to spend the winter with his daughter, Mrs. George Shakespeare, at Binghamton, N. Y.

Mr. and Mrs. George Herrick, John and Dan Herrick spent Christmas with their parents.

SUBURBAN NEWS.

Maple Hill.
The Misses Mary Coyle and Katherine Dugan of Kingston are spending the Christmas holidays with their cousins, the Misses Dolores and Elizabeth Reiley.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Bradley entertained as their guests Christmas Mr. and Mrs. John Gallagher, Dorothy Heap, Vincent Jordan and Francis Buck. Mrs. Bradley served a turkey supper and all of the good things that go with it. All wish to give Mr. and Mrs. Bradley a vote of thanks for being so highly entertained.

James Crawford of Connecticut is spending the Christmas holidays with his family.

Miss Cathie Winchell spent Friday with Mrs. Walter Hiltnerant.

Martin Costello is confined to the house with an abscess on his arm.

H. Narup of Newburgh spent Christmas with his family here.

A large number of people from this place attended the midnight masses on Christmas eve.

Ed. Bradley butchered two hogs for Reilly and two for Mrs. Galvin recently.

Ed. Bradley is kept quite busy in his barber shop giving his New York friends who are at their homes here a hair cut and shave of the good old kind.

Vincent and Leo Jordan of New York spent the holidays with their mother, Mrs. M. Jordan.

Mrs. Helen Jordan of Jersey City spent Christmas at her home here.

Mrs. M. Riley is spending some time with friends in Kingston.

Whiteport.

Mrs. Lucy Hutzell is spending the Christmas holidays with her husband at their country home.

The chain gang called on Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hartman on Sunday.

There will be a dance at the K. of L. Hall on New Year's eve, December 31, 1915.

Andrew Oulton spent Sunday at the home of Mrs. E. Driscoll.

Bernard Henze of New Jersey spent Christmas at the home of his mother.

Miss Kittie Driscoll is spending her Christmas vacation at home.

William McCarthy and brother, Roy, of Torrington, Conn., are spending the holidays at their home.

Joseph Brown of Connecticut and brother John of Bayonne, N. J., are home for the holidays.

Michael Kelley of Canada and son, John, of Bayonne spent Christmas at home.

Miss Kittie Driscoll and Anna Ross spent a few days with friends at Kingston.

Miss Dolores Kelley is spending the holidays at Bayonne, N. J.

Miss Winifred Hurley and brother, Joe, of Torrington, Conn., are spending a week with their mother, Mary Imperial of Kingston spent Monday with Kittie Driscoll.

Miss Julia Brown, who is employed at Vassar College, Poughkeepsie, spent Christmas at home, and returned to Poughkeepsie Monday.

Anna Henze is spending her Christmas vacation at home.

Joseph Hurley of Torrington, Conn., spent Christmas at the home of his parents.

John Hurley and Richard Hurley of Bayonne, N. J., are home for the holiday vacation.

Margaret and Winifred Forger of Vassar College, Poughkeepsie, are home for two weeks.

Patrick Campbell and wife of Poughkeepsie are on a visit at the home of Mrs. Mooney.

Charles McCarthy of Hoboken, N. J., spent Christmas at the home of his mother.

Henry Hartman spent Saturday and Sunday with his mother at the Hickory Bush poultry farm.

Joseph Hartman, Jr., and best girl of Kingston spent Christmas at his grandfather's.

Mrs. B. M. Robins of Kingston spent Christmas day at the home of her daughter, Mrs. John Rowe, Jr.

Michael Connelly spent Christmas and Sunday with his mother and sister.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Bartsch and family and Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Burns and family called at the old homestead on Christmas.

A number of our summer guests of the New York Y. M. C. A. are spending the holidays at Greenhill Camp on the First Binnewater.

Among them are Philip D. Pagans, Johannes Haway, Charles Muller, Julian Haway, Ned Milliken, William Jones and Dillon Wallace.

Fourth Binnewater.

One of the large barns on the farm of Max Wuest, formerly known as the Schwang place, burned at 1 o'clock on Sunday night with its contents, which included a number of wagons, farm machinery, hay, straw and grain. The building was detached from the house and other farms about three hundred yards. Mr. Wuest and family did not know it had burned until advised by his neighbors about 7:30 the next morning. The building is covered by insurance, but the contents were only about one-half covered.

Frank Schwang was to town on Christmas day. On his way home his horse took fright by Judge Van Etten's farm and ran away, throwing Frank out and bruising and cutting him some on the ice. The sleigh was strewn along the road for half a mile. The horse ran home.

The past week of this winter has shown the need of repairs in the spring of the Turnpike over that section known as the Upperram. Here there is a small culvert and when there is a rainfall with snow on the ground the water from the fields of Charles Walton flows over the roadway a foot deep, because the culvert is too small to carry it away. This water and slush freeze over night and the next day the horses which have to travel over this section break through and cut their legs on the ice. The public should see that this is remedied another summer.

Lucas Avenue Heights.

Mrs. J. Horton is sick at her home with the grip.

George Green has gone to spend the winter with his daughter, Mrs. George Shakespeare, at Binghamton, N. Y.

Mr. and Mrs. George Herrick, John and Dan Herrick spent Christmas with their parents.

The many friends of Mr. and Mrs.

E. J. Morehouse wish to express their sympathy in the loss of their baby. William Post of Troy and Miss Laura Post of Kingston were the guests of their sister, Mrs. George DuBois, on Sunday.

The many friends of Ira Auchmoody are glad to know of his return home after an operation for appendicitis. Leo Krom of Arkville spent Saturday and Sunday with his friend, Miss Alice Post, on the heights, at the home of George DuBois.

KRUMVILLE.

Krumville, Dec. 29.—Mr. and Mrs. B. Merrihew spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. John Barringer.

Mrs. Floyd Donohue, who has been spending a week with her parents, has returned home.

Stephen Davis and family spent Christmas Day with Mr. and Mrs. Ephraim Markle at Stone Ridge.

Alex Embree of Schenectady spent from Friday until Sunday with his cousin, Chester Lyons.

Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Davis and Owen Merrihew spent Christmas at the home of Elmer Davis.

Miss Reegan, our teacher, isn't having any Christmas vacation. Therefore school will be out two weeks earlier than usual.

The Misses Orpha and Nellie Bishop of Olive Bridge called at the home of Frank Lyons Saturday afternoon.

Era Merrihew and family entertained his sisters, Anna and Lulu, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Krum spent Christmas with Mrs. Krum's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Philmore Carson, of Olive Bridge.

Mrs. Mary Du Bois and family spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. George Van Kleeck of Samsenville Heights.

A number of children are out of school with bad colds and sore throats.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Krum and little daughter, Eula, spent Friday with Mr. and Mrs. Barringer of Palentown.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Krum and Miss Ethel Krum spent Christmas Eve at Frank Lyons's.

Chester Lyons and Alex Embree called on their lady friends at Leibhardt Saturday evening.

A number of young people from this place attended the surprise party at the home of Arthur Trowbridge Wednesday evening. All report a fine time.

Mrs. Benjamin Davis spent Thursday with her aunt, Mrs. Frank Lyons.

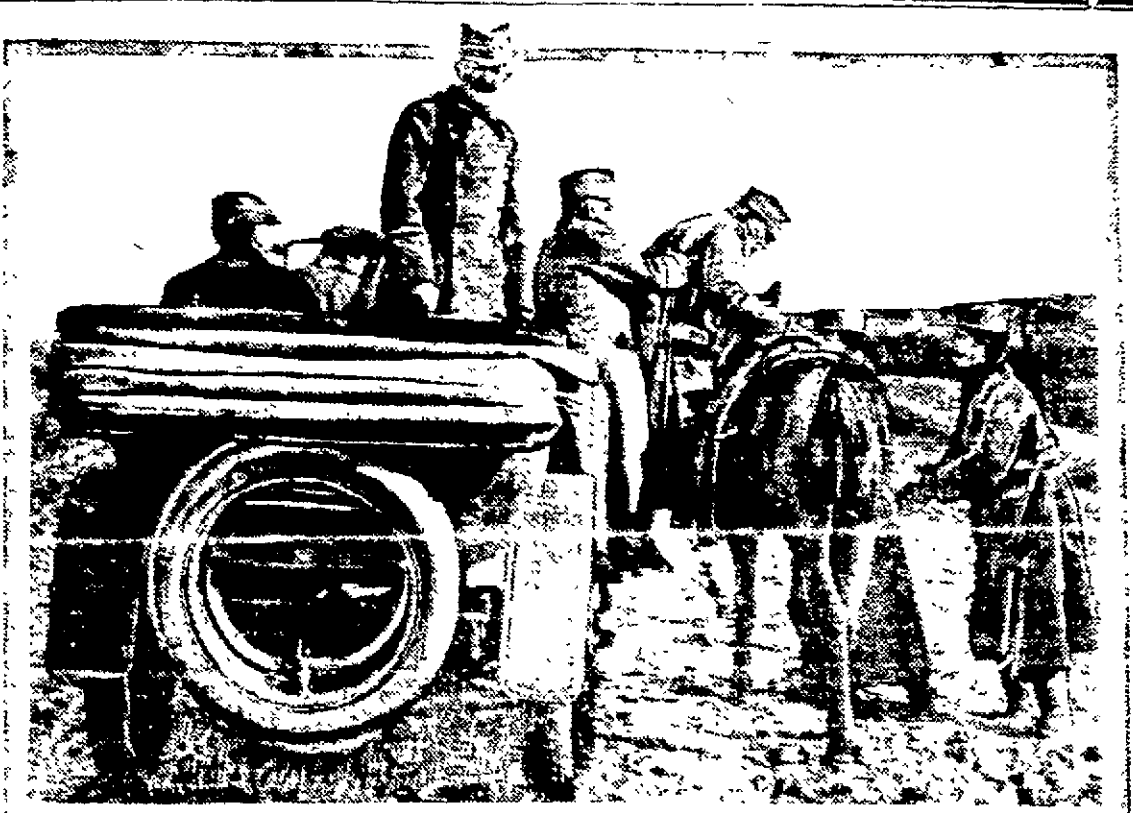
ASBURY AND GREAT FALLS.

Asbury and Great Falls, Dec. 29.—Mrs. Jane Trompbour and son, Grant, are ill with grip.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dero were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hoff Christmas Day.

Mrs. W. H. Emerick has returned to her home in Connecticut, after spending some time in this vicinity with friends and relatives.

William Ennist and brother, Atley, have returned to Cementon.



KING PETER IN FLIGHT.

SERBIAN KING IN DRAMATIC FLIGHT FROM HIS COUNTRY.

This picture shows King Peter of Serbia, being assisted from his automobile to the back of his horse during his dramatic and hasty flight across Serbia and Albania, before taking ship for Italy. In the picture the King is accompanied by his staff.

The picture was sent from Scutari to Durazzo by aeroplane by our correspondent who was a member of the King's suite and is the first picture of the last Serbian retreat to reach this country.

after spending a few days with their uncle, Sylvester Houck.

Mr. and Mrs. Levi Rightmeyer of Katsbaan spent Christmas with Adam Lasher and sister.

The Christmas exercise held at the green school house on Friday were quite well attended, the children doing their parts exceedingly well.

Mr. and Mrs. Merritt Rejsea, Sr., of West Camp spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Merritt Rejsea, Jr.

Excessive Talking.

The excessive talking in which many girls indulge is a decided element of nervous strain. I have heard of a "silence club," the members of which try to refrain from all unnecessary talking. Gushing and useless chattering is against the principle of this club. It has been said that the Japanese girls preserve their youthfulness far longer than their American sisters. They live quiet lives and do not waste their words.

Wherein the Profit.

"Is there any profit in selling postage stamps?" inquired the man in search of information. "Not directly," replied the druggist, "but it gets people into the habit of going to the drug store, and after that it doesn't take long to make chronic invalids of them."—Kansas City Star.

Usually the Case.

"Who wrote that article on how to support a family of six on ten dollars a week?" a friend asked Woggles, the editor of the "Ladies' Homebody Friend." "Bingham, one of our best men," said Woggles, without a smile; "we pay him five thousand a year."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

Driven to It.

A man who tries to attend strictly to his own business gets to be regarded as so eccentric that he is forced to do a little meddling in self-defense.

WHEREAS default has been made in the payment of the money secured by a certain mortgage bearing date May 20, 1910, made and executed by Herbert J. Tinley and Grace I. Tinley, his wife, as mortgagors of the town of Rochester, Ulster county, New York, to Daniel Schoonmaker as mortgagee of the town of Rochester, Ulster county, New York, which mortgage was given as collateral security for the payment of the sum of \$500 in one year from date with interest thereon payable semi-annually at the rate of six per cent per annum and which mortgage was duly recorded in Ulster county clerk's office in book of mortgages 255 page 482 June 13, 1910, at twelve o'clock noon and no suit or proceeding having been begun by statute or law to recover the sum secured by said mortgage or any part thereof, and WHEREAS the amount claimed to be due on the said mortgage at the time of the first publication of this notice is \$500 and interest from May 6, 1914, making the total amount due at the time of the first publication \$542.50.

NOW therefore notice is hereby given according to the statute in such case made

and provided and by virtue of the power of sale in said mortgage duly recorded therewith as aforesaid that the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises herein described by the subscriber at public auction on the 3rd day of January, 1916, at 11 o'clock a.m. at the door of the court house in the city of Kingston, Ulster county, New York. The following is a description of the mortgaged premises so as aforesaid to be sold as they are contained in the mortgage: ALL THAT CERTAIN PIECE OR PARCEL OF LAND situated in the town of Rochester, at a place called Alligerville and being a portion of the same premises conveyed by Harvey B. DeWitt and wife to Daniel Schoonmaker by deed dated April 1, 1887, and recorded in Ulster county clerk's office in book of deeds No. 288 page 618, April 4, 1887, and which portion hereby conveyed is bounded and described as follows: Beginning in the center of the highway leading from Alligerville to High Falls on the bounds of lands of Sarah M. Davis and from said point or place of beginning running southerly along the bounds of said Sarah M. Davis forty-six feet more or less to the line of lands of Simon J. Roosa to an iron driven in the ground and which line it continued to the brick dwelling house erected by George Harnden now deceased on the farm now owned by Simon J. Roosa would strike the north corner of the main building thereon south eighty-three degrees fifteen minutes west eight chains ninety-five links to the center of the public highway leading from Alligerville to New Paltz thence along the same north eighty degrees twenty minutes west two chains seven links and south eighty seven degrees twenty-five minutes west one chain to the junction of the center of said highway with the center of the public highway leading from Alligerville to High Falls then along the center of said highway northeasterly to the point or place of beginning.

Dated October 6th, 1915.

DANIEL SCHOONMAKER, Mortgagee.

V. B. VAN WAGENING, Attorney for Mortgagee.

32 Main St., Kingston, N. Y.

\$81,000 in Christmas Checks to 3,700 Depositors! Were You One of the Lucky Ones?

Join Our Christmas Club for 1916--Now Open--Anyone Can Join--Starts This Week

HERE IS THE PLAN

Members starting with 2c and increasing 2c each week for 50 weeks receive \$25.50.

Members starting with 5c and increasing 5c each week for 50 weeks receive \$63.75.

You may reverse the plan if you wish to do so, by paying \$1.00 the first week and pay 2c less every week; or you may start with \$2.50 the first week and pay 5c less every week.

Open Evenings from 7:30 to 9:00, December 28th, 29th and 30th, for Enrollment of Christmas Club Members

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Until January 1st, 1916

All Calendars 20 per cent discount
Standard Diaries 33 1-3 per cent from list
Christmas Box Stationery 20 per cent discount
Post Card Albums 20 per cent discount
The following articles 10 per cent discount:
Leather Goods—Ladies' Hand Bags, Travelers' Handy
Outfits, Portfolios, Bill Books, Wallets, Music Rolls,
Collar Bags, Game Sets, Brass Goods and Holiday
Novelties.

This is a fine opportunity to obtain reliable goods at greatly reduced prices.

SEE OUR WINDOW DISPLAYS

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL

By Telegram to The Freeman.

New York, Dec. 30.—The most important feature of the trading in the stock exchange this morning was a general demand for the leading railroad issues and the industrials. Much of the buying represented investment. St. Paul attracted most attention, rising a point to 98, bringing it close to the high record of the year, 98 1/2, made on April 19. There was a vigorous inquiry for United States Steel common which rose 3/4 to 87 1/2. Mexican Petroleum was dealt in on a large scale, moving up 2 1/2 to 119 1/2, a new high mark. American Smelting gained a point to 104 1/2, and upturns ranging from fractions to a point were made in Anaconda, Great Northern Ore, Erie and American Can. Canadian Pacific jumped 1 1/2 to 180 1/2. Texas Company moved up four points to 232 and was active.

Some issues were in vigorous demand during the late forenoon while others under some profit-taking sales slightly. St. Paul lost 1/2 to 97 1/2 and Steel common was off 1/4 to 87 1/2. Mexican Petroleum advanced to 119 1/2, a gain of 3/4 points and Guinness to 83 1/2, a gain of 1 1/2 and new high records for both these stocks. California Petroleum advanced to 71 against 67 1/2 at the close yesterday. Erie common advanced a point to 43 1/2 and the preferred sold at an advance of 1/2 to 58 1/2. Money lending at 1 1/2 per cent.

Some issues were in free supply in the late afternoon at moderate recessions. Mexican Petroleum attracted attention, making a new high record at 119 1/2, and then dropping to 117 1/2 against 119 1/2 at close yesterday. California Petroleum rose a point to 72 and the preferred, which closed yesterday at 67 1/2 advanced to 74 1/2. Baldwin Locomotive dropped a point to 116 1/2 and Texas Company dropped to 229 1/2 against 232 earlier and 228 1/2 at the close yesterday.

The market closed irregular. Trading in the last hour was almost wholly in the specialties. Mexican Petroleum advanced to 119 1/2, and another new high record. Canadian Pacific rose 1/2 point to 180 1/2 and American Smelting gained 1/2 to 104 1/2. Changes in the other active issues were in the shade of small fractional losses. Government bonds closed unchanged; other bonds irregular.

Quotations furnished by John D. Kline, Warren Building, Fair street, Kingston, N. Y. Tel. 4122. Correspondent of C. H. Van Buren & Company, members of Consolidated Stock Exchange of New York.

THE CLOSING QUOTATIONS

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| Albion-Chalmers | 31 | Stew. Lamb, lb. | 10c, 12c |
| American Beet Sugar | 77 1/2 | Top Round Steak, lb. | 20c |
| American Car & Foundry | 77 1/2 | Panck Chuck Steak, lb. | 16c |
| American Can | 180 1/2 | Panck Chuck Pot Roast, lb. | 14c |
| American Cotton Oil | 53 1/2 | Sirloin Steak, lb. | 22c, 24c |
| American Ice Securities | 45 1/2 | Fresh Cut Hamburg Steak, lb. | 18c |
| American Locomotive | 116 1/2 | Stew. Beef, lb. | 10c |
| American Smelting & Ref. Co. | 104 1/2 | Thompson's Reg. Hams, lb. | 18 1/2c |
| American Telephone & Telegraph | 143 1/2 | Thompson Bacon, by strip | 21c |
| Associated General Motors | 90 1/2 | Skinnback Hams, lb. | 16 1/2c |
| Aichison, Topeka & Santa Fe | 90 1/2 | Cut. Hams, lb. | 12c |
| Baldwin Loco. | 116 1/2 | | |
| Baltimore & Ohio | 141 | | |
| Bethlehem Steel Co. | 116 1/2 | | |
| Brooklyn Rapid Transit | 48 | | |
| Canadian Pacific | 180 1/2 | | |
| Central Leather | 39 1/2 | | |
| Cheapeake & Ohio | 67 1/2 | | |
| Chicago, Mil. & St. Paul | 67 1/2 | | |
| Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific | 72 1/2 | | |
| Colorado Fuel & Iron | 143 1/2 | | |
| Consolidated Gas, N. Y. | 143 1/2 | | |
| Corn Products | 229 1/2 | | |
| Cruible Steel | 42 1/2 | | |
| Dializer Securities | 42 1/2 | | |
| Erie | 54 1/2 | | |
| Erie, 1st pfd | 54 1/2 | | |
| General Electric | 74 1/2 | | |
| Goodrich Rubber | 74 1/2 | | |
| Great Northern, pfd. | 124 | | |
| Great Northern Ore. | 30 1/2 | | |
| Illinois Central | 21 | | |
| Interborough Con. | 21 | | |
| Inter-Con. pfd. | 77 1/2 | | |
| Kansas City Southern | 21 1/2 | | |
| Louisville & Nashville | 21 1/2 | | |
| Long Island Valley | 82 | | |
| Maxwell Motor 1st pfd. | 72 1/2 | | |
| Maxwell Motor 2d pfd. | 57 1/2 | | |
| Mexican Petroleum | 119 1/2 | | |
| Missouri Pacific | 41 1/2 | | |
| N. Y. Telephone & Telegraph | 143 1/2 | | |
| N. Y. Central | 143 1/2 | | |
| N. Y. N. H. & H. | 78 1/2 | | |
| New York, Ontario & Western | 42 1/2 | | |
| Norfolk & Western | 117 | | |
| Northern Pacific | 117 | | |
| Pennsylvania Railroad | 59 | | |
| People's Gas, Chicago | 98 | | |
| Pittsburgh Coal | 64 1/2 | | |
| Pressed Steel Sp. | 43 | | |
| Railway Steel Sp. | 43 | | |
| Reading | 82 | | |
| Rep. Iron & Steel | 34 1/2 | | |
| Southern Pacific | 102 1/2 | | |
| Southern Railway | 23 | | |
| Southern Railway, pfd. | 153 1/2 | | |
| Stackpole | 51 1/2 | | |
| Tennessee Copper | 51 1/2 | | |
| Union Pac. R. | 38 1/2 | | |
| U. S. Steel | 37 1/2 | | |
| U. S. Steel, pfd. | 116 1/2 | | |
| U. S. Steel, 1st pfd. | 53 1/2 | | |
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Prayer Meeting Omitted.

The prayer meeting of the Fair Street Reformed Church will be omitted this evening on account of the illness of the pastor and the entertainments at other churches.

Wise Provision.

Not long ago some farmers had occasion to organize a corporation, and desiring to avoid the cost of a lawyer's service, they drew up their own articles of agreement. Among its provisions was the following: "The annual meeting of the company shall be held on the second Saturday of July in each and every year, except when same falls on a Sunday or a holiday."

Americans Answer Calls Quicker.

Statistics have shown that American telephone operators answer calls two seconds quicker than their English cousins.

ABOUT THE FOLKS.

Miss Elizabeth Hutchins is visiting friends in New York city.

George Sizotte and daughter, Anna, spent Christmas at the home of Ira Hyde in Connelly.

Miss Nellie Hannon of Elmendorf street is spending the holidays with Miss Marie Foley at Cairo, N. Y.

Mrs. C. G. V. Reardon and daughter Dorothy are spending the holidays with Mrs. Reardon's parents at No. 209 Tremper avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. John Bell of New York city spent Christmas at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ira Hyde at Connelly.

Miss Eloise Appel of New York city is spending her vacation at the home of Mrs. S. Appel on Abel street.

Mr. and Mrs. James Owens have returned to their home in Troy after spending several days with Mr. Owens's mother on Henry street.

Miss Minnie Rich of No. 178 Hasbrouck avenue is spending the holiday week with her sister, Mrs. Rockford Brodhead, in New York city.

Andrew Wolf of Spencer's Business School has secured a good business position in the office of Brown & Dressell, plumbers, Clinton avenue.

Oliver Ayers and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Ayers and son spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Philip Ayers, Chestnut street.

Miss Pearl Ringer of Ellenville is the guest of the Misses Mary and Dorothy Moser, at their home on Maiden Lane.

Harry T. Sheridan, lately manager of the Singer Sewing Machine Co. in this city, has resigned his position and leaves town today.

Roscoe V. Elsworth of the Albany Law School is spending the holidays at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Elsworth, Broadway, Port Ewen.

LOCAL DEATH RECORD.

Recent Deaths and Funerals of Persons in This Vicinity.

Frank Duskey died this morning at the home of his sister, Mrs. Charles Cook, No. 44 Ravine street, aged 35 years. The funeral will be held from the late residence on Monday morning at 9 o'clock and from St. Peter's Church at 9:30 o'clock.

Mrs. Mary A. Galvin, wife of Lawrence Benson, a well known railroad man of Oakes, died at her home there Tuesday morning after a long illness. She is survived by three daughters, Margaret, Gertrude and Sarah, and a son, James, besides three sisters, Mrs. Peter Gendrew, of Detroit, Mich., Mrs. Herbert Lapan of Schenectady, and Miss Mary C. Galvin of Poughkeepsie. A brother, Jeremiah Galvin of Poughkeepsie, also survives.

John N. Bogart died at his home on Market street, Saugerties, Wednesday evening, after a few days' illness of pneumonia. Mr. Bogart was a printer by trade and for many years was employed on New York city newspapers. For several years he edited the labor column of the New York Journal. He was a member of Typographical Union, No. 6, and Pitman Lodge, F. & A. M., and was a former commissioner of licenses of New York city, under the administration of Mayor McClellan. He was active in the affairs of the American Federation of Labor, often serving on boards of arbitration. He is survived by a widow.

Capt. H. H. Wells, one of the oldest and best known residents of Glasco, died about two p. m. yesterday of pneumonia, following the grip. He was eighty-four years of age, and had lived in his late residence at the landing for seventy-two years. During his long life he was very industrious and active, following the occupation of boatman, most of the time sailing his own vessel, until a few years ago, when he began working in his own ship as a wheelwright. He was strictly temperate in his habits, was a member of the M. E. Church, and for a number of years past was an ardent prohibitionist. He leaves a widow and family. Funeral services will be held at the family residence on Saturday at 2 p. m., conducted by his pastor, the Rev. S. M. Cole, and a former pastor, the Rev. H. I. Hoag. Interment in Barclay Heights Cemetery.

Mrs. Harriet Terry Van Deusen, widow of the late Columbus Van Deusen, after a brief illness, passed away this morning at three o'clock. Although to her observant friends Mrs. Van Deusen had not seemed very strong this winter her decease following a bronchial cold of short duration comes as a sad shock. Mrs. Van Deusen was born at Stamford, N. Y., April 10, 1836, where she resided for twelve years. Her parents were David Terry and Sally Rickie. Mrs. Van Deusen is survived by four children, Frank, now residing in Alabama, Clara, wife of Richard Tappen, Ella C. and Ralph Terry Van Deusen. Mrs. Van Deusen was a member of the Daughters of the American Revolution and a most devoted member of the Roundout Presbyterian Church, with which she united March 10, 1870; the Ladies' Aid Society of which she was the efficient president for a number of years. She was interested in all missionary and philanthropic work and a liberal supporter of every worthy cause. She was one of those rare persons, old fashioned in her motherliness, integrity of character and adherence to the truths that make for stability and worth yet at the same time so active and alert to the changing conditions of modern life that she failed to impress her friends and acquaintances as at all an aged person. Arrangements for the funeral have not yet been completed.

Watch Night Service.

On the last night of the old year there will be a Watch Night service in St. John's Church at 11 p. m. Silent prayer at 12 o'clock. Music. Addresses. There will not be a service Saturday, New Year's Day.

ODDS AND ENDS.

Saturday being a holy day, masses will be offered in St. Mary's Church at 6, 7, 8, 9 and 10:30 o'clock. A strong appeal has been made to the men of the parish to begin the new year by making confession and receiving the holy communion.

Dance the old year out and the new year in at the New Year's eve dance to be given at Wiltwyck Inn at 8 p. m. A very enjoyable evening is in store for those that attend. Music furnished by Muller's orchestra. Tickets can be secured at the door.

The first meeting of the newly formed executive committee of the Hudson Valley Chamber of Commerce was held this afternoon at Newburgh. Kingston is represented at the meeting by President John B. Kearney of the local body.

The missionary societies of St. James's M. E. Church will hold a regular monthly meeting at the home of Mrs. S. G. Dimmick, No. 12 John street, on Friday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Mrs. R. E. Bell will be in charge of the devotional exercises and Mrs. M. Ida Brown will read the second chapter in the Home Study Book.

BLOOD ON HIS CLOTHING

And the Chickens Are Gone, So Peter Goes to Jail.

Peter Sheridan and George McDermott were arrested today by Sergeant Hanley and Policeman O'Neill. Peter is wanted on a charge of stealing two chickens from a chicken coop in Ponckhockie and George was arrested on suspicion. The theft of the chickens was committed Wednesday evening. Sergeant Hanley and Officer O'Neill found a trail of blood leading from the chicken coop to the rear of a house in Ponckhockie. In the backyard in a baker's oven they found the two dead chickens hidden away. When they entered the house they found George and Peter. When Peter's clothing was searched blood spots were found on his coat and so he and George were lodged in jail and will be arraigned before Recorder Laig in the morning.

THE JOINERS.

News of Interest to Members of Fraternal Societies.

The following lodges hold regular meetings this evening:

Minneawaska Tribe, No. 130, Improved Order of Red Men, at 635 Broadway.

United German Lodge, No. 303, I. O. O. F., in Odd Fellows' Hall, 36 East Strand.

At a meeting of Aetna Lodge, No. 172, I. O. O. F., held last evening the following officers were elected: Fred Evel, noble grand; Harry Hulsair, vice grand; Harry Gerhardt, recording secretary; John C. Johnston, financial secretary; John H. Berger, treasurer; Jacob Owen, trustee for three years.

Kingston Chapter, Order of the Eastern Star, have completed arrangements for the old fashioned dance which will be given Friday evening, New Year's eve, at Masonic Hall, down town. A good time is assured to all who attend, and the attendance will probably be very large, as these dances have become very popular and are looked forward to each year with interest. All members of the order are privileged to have their friends accompany them. A small admission fee will be charged.

Chicago Grain Market.

Chicago, Dec. 30.—Wheat closed 1 1/2 to 2 cents higher. Corn closed 1/2 to 1 cent up, and oats 1/2 cent better.

Closing Prices.

Wheat—Dec. \$1.24 1/2; May \$1.27 1/2 asked; July \$1.18 1/2 asked. Corn—Dec. 73 1/2c asked; May 77 1/2c bid; July 78c asked. Oats—Dec. 44; May 47 1/2 @ 48c.

No Shortage of Coal.

By Telegram to The Freeman.
New York, Dec. 30.—There is no shortage of anthracite coal, but the difficulties of transportation and distribution have led to local scarcities and higher prices in many places.

Aptly Described.

I overheard two tiny youngsters telling each other their mothers had company. After stating just who the visitors were at each home, one little fellow said: "Aw, yours ain't company—just a bunch of relations."—Exchange.

DIED.

VAN DEUSEN.—In this city, at residence, 48 West Chestnut street, December 30, 1915, Harriet Terry Van Deusen, wife of the late Columbus Van Deusen.

Notice of funeral hereafter.

DUSKEY.—In this city, Thursday morning, December 30, 1915, Frank Duskey, aged 35 years. Relatives and friends are invited to attend the funeral from the home of his sister, Mrs. Charles Cook, No. 44 Ravine street, Monday morning at 9 o'clock and at St. Peter's Church at 9:30.

POWLEY.—In this city, December 28, 1915, Joseph L. Powley, in his 80th year

Classified Advertisements

ONE CENT A WORD

Classified advertisements in this department will be inserted at the uniform price of one cent per word for each insertion. Advertisements after the first month, one-half cent per word will be charged. No advertisement less than 15 cents. Orders may be left at the following places:

CHARLES W. CARD, Post Office, N. Y.
GEO. W. MOORE, 250 Broadway.
WM. McMILLAN, Elmerville, N. Y.
WILLIAM O'WILLI, 330 Broadway.
C. S. SIMPSON, 430 Broadway.
FREEMAN BRANCH OFFICE, 236 Fair Street.
FREEMAN, Downtown, 2-5 Broadway.

One Cent Per Word

No Advertisement Less Than 15 Cents.

MALE HELP WANTED.

WANTED—Electricians and helpers: only first class mechanics need apply. New York Board of Supervision and Electric Co., 4 Dimes St.

MUSICAL OPPORTUNITY FOR RIGHT MAN. Salesman wanted for Kingston and surrounding territory to place our new income contract. Guaranteed by company of \$1,000,000 of assets and supervised by the governments of 41 states. Income cannot be lost or squandered and is never affected by market conditions and is free from taxation. Only men of character and ability need apply. Address E. A. Wallis, Manager, Trinity Bldg., N. Y. City.

WANTED—First class cutter, one who understands gang work on fine pocket cutters. Must be able to take charge. Reply stating age, experience and wages expected. "E." Freeman.

FEMALE HELP WANTED.

EXPERIENCED OPERATORS. ALSO LEARNERS. FULLER'S SHIRT FACTORY, PINE GROVE AVE.

WANTED—Young lady who has had office experience and able to take charge. References required. "K." Downtown Freeman.

WANTED—Operators: learners taken. Warden, Alkenhead Co., Inc., Greenkill Ave.

WANTED—Girls with some experience on sewing machines to learn neck banding: wages paid while learning. Fuller's Shirt Factory, Pine Grove Ave.

WANTED—Maid for general housework. Mrs. John S. Thompson, Presidents Place.

WANTED—GIRLS IN TWO DEPARTMENTS. APPLY AT ONCE. TO START WORK ON MONDAY, U. S. STEAM CURTAIN MILLS, CORNELL ST.

WANTED—Girl for general housework. 22 Abel St. Shindler.

TO LET.

TO LET—First floor, 102 Cedar St. Inquire 68 Clinton Ave.

TO LET—Five rooms, upstairs. 230 Washington St.

TO LET—3 furnished rooms for light housekeeping in private family. "E." Uptown Freeman.

TO LET—Flat and part of cottage. 25 Liberty St.

TO LET—2 rooms, 107 West 10th St. Ave. Tel. 1571-W.

TO LET—5 room, with some improvements, 30 South Prospect St. \$10 per month. Call noon and evenings at 27 South Prospect St.

TO LET—House, 6 rooms, all improvements, 106 Elmendorf St. rent \$25. Inquire 110 Elmendorf St.

TO LET—Store, 327 Broadway. John G. Van Ethen.

FOR RENT—6 room house, 157 Pine St. \$12. Shattuck Realty Co.

TO LET—Upper and lower floor, 207 Washington Ave., near Main St. Apply 30 Clinton Ave.

TO LET—Four unfurnished rooms, all improvements, including heat and gas; suitable for two adults. 65 Elmendorf St.

TO LET—Six rooms, upper flat, all improvements, 65 Linden Ave. Inquire 64 Clinton Ave. Telephone 1473-R.

FOR RENT—Crosby residence at No. 112 W. Chestnut St.; all improvements. Inquire at 574 Broadway.

TO LET—Flat, 114 Tremper Ave.

TO LET—House, 175 Henry St. \$13.

FIVE ROOM flat, St. James St. all improvements. Apply N. D. J. Murphy.

TO LET—Building or store, corner East 4th and Broadway. Estate of John N. Cordis.

TO LET—Flat, 307 Downs St. Improvements.

TO LET—23 Janet St. Inquire 29 Janet St. Telephone 1738-W.

FOR RENT—7 room cottage, all improvements, Lafayette Ave. \$25.00. A. J. Burns.

FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—Fruit farm, 30 acres at Upton Park, near station, 1,000 grapes, 2,000 dewberries, cherry orchard, pears, etc. Apply A. W. Soper, 624 Broadway, New York City.

POSITION WANTED.

Wanted, industrious farmer, with best references, would like position as farm hand on a farm. Address "Farmer," Uptown Freeman.

Two young ladies would like to learn dressmaking. Write and state particulars. Address "Personal," care Freeman.

WANTED—Position as salesman, grocery, board preferred. C. T. Waterman, 145 Elmendorf St.

FURNISHED ROOMS.

DESIRABLE furnished rooms, with or without board. 150 Fair St.

FURNISHED ROOMS—75 Pearl St.

FURNISHED ROOMS—With or without board. 67 Van Buren St.

FURNISHED ROOM. Apply 23 Henry St.

FURNISHED ROOMS—With or without board. 219 Wall St.

FURNISHED ROOMS, 162 Howe St.

FURNISHED ROOMS WITH BOARD, 23 Adams St.

FURNISHED ROOMS—Rooms and board, special terms to college students. Greenwood Lodge, 317 Clinton Ave.

ROOMS with board. The Holland, 77 Main St.

FURNISHED ROOMS—77 John St.

WANTED—Roomers and boarders in private family. 77 Henry St.

IF THIS IS YOUR BIRTHDAY

DECEMBER 30

The man of this birthdate shows a horoscope that has many conflicting influences in it. Saturn and Mars being the governing planets, we find him to be proud, independent, high-minded and with a decided distaste for manual labor. Many of the people of this birthdate if they cannot find just exactly the work that they enjoy doing will not work at all. They demand mental work, are good managers and organizers, and will succeed in commercial lines. Many fine actresses and brilliant musicians come under these planets and the sign Capricorn. This nature is fond of books and has great respect for education. It will be found in charitable work and will give generously to organizations. Its birthstone is a diamond. Cooks, waitresses and housemaids should advertise in The Freeman Want Ads for positions during the coming month.

One Cent Per Word

No Advertisement Less Than 15 Cents.

LOST.

WILL party who found bull pup, (white nose, chest and toes), on December 25, at Greenhill Park entrance, please telephone 22-F-2. Reward.

LOST—White cat with brown spot on side and face; license tag 783. Reward if returned to 50 Marcus St. Telephone 797-W.

LOST—On Grand St., between W. S. depot and TenBroeck Ave., a black leather hand bag with pleated front, containing small pocket book with \$20 in bills, baby's fork and spoon, gold lavalliere and chain, two return tickets to New York and funds of Mrs. De Morris Baldwin. Reward if returned to 150 Foxhall Ave.

LOST—Between Albany Ave. and E. Chestnut St., gold button. Finder please leave at Downtown Freeman Office.

FOUND.

FOUND—On Livingston St., broken string of beads. Owner may have same by calling at Downtown Freeman Office.

FOR SALE OR TO RENT.

FOR SALE OR TO LET—10 room house, 137 Washington Ave., near Pearl. Inquire 42 Crown St.

FOR SALE.

SANITARY Window Ventilators. Avoid the grip by using Fresh Air Ventilators. Adjustable to any window. Fresh air without drafts, rain or snow. Prices 25c and 35c each. L. S. Winne & Co.

FOR SALE—Second hand furniture, parlor stoves and ranges. 7 furnish all kinds of stove repairs. Highest prices paid for second hand furniture and stoves. Maria Kaplan, 65 North Front St. Tel. 861-J.

FOR SALE—20 acres wood lot, town of Rochester, particulars. Write N. Bedford, 145 Second St. Hill, N. Y.

FOR SALE—Empty piece goods cases, Fuller's Shirt Factory, Pine Grove Ave.

FOR SALE—Grocery business, good residential section, no opposition, doing cash business \$1400 monthly; will sell at inventory price; reasons selling other business. Address "A. W." Uptown Freeman.

FOR SALE—Household furniture, etc.; leaving town. 66 South Manor Ave.

FOR SALE—Yonkers place. H. M. Miller, Longmont, N. Y. Tel. 17-5.

FOR SALE—Kilnwood, 2 bbls. for 25 cents or 8 bbls. for \$1.00. Orders prompt delivery. Fred K. Doe, 117 N. Front St. Telephone 1234-W.

TO LET—New flat, near high school. Inquire 41 O'Reilly St.

FOR SALE—Two family house, with improvements, \$2,000; new 7 room cottage, with improvements, hardwood, tile, large lot, some fruit, \$3,000; 11 room house and two story barn, \$2,500; suitable for garage or small factory, \$3,000; centrally located, near Broadway, Lezette, 54 Clinton Ave. Phone 1491-J.

FOR SALE—Gasoline engine and saw frame. 118 N. Front St.

FOR SALE—At bargain: Packard touring car, Overland touring, Marion touring, Maxwell runabout, Studebaker runabout. Stuyvesant Garage.

FOR SALE—Farms, all sizes and prices. M. A. Reis, 585 Broadway.

FOR SALE—Grocery business and fish market; all goods and fixtures. Inquire "Grocery," Uptown Freeman.

MISCELLANEOUS.

FURNITURE storage. House-proof, seal-tight, fire-proof, fireproof. Call Kingston. Phone 1492-J, or call Stuyvesant Garage.

PECK'S taxi service, 5 and 7 passenger Chalmers, reasonable rates. Phone 1161.

PIZZA delivered, 10 cents a roll. Prints 3 cents up. Sibley Studio, 29 Strand.

ATTEND the dance at the Knights of Labor Hall, Whiteport, New Year's Eve.

DOLL unbroken. Dolls repaired. Ring two bells. 36 Henry St. Tel. 1532-M.

MASQUERADE dance and supper at Mr. Chaux's, 509 1/2 Broadway, Friday night, to see the old year out and the new year in.

SPENCER'S Business School—big enrollment day Monday, January 2nd. Stenography, bookkeeping, telegraphy. Enroll Register early.

CORPORATION needs additional working capital, handles increasing business, will sell stock of its 7 per cent cumulative preferred stock or any part thereof. Principals only. Investigation in person. Address "A. B. C." Uptown Freeman.

WE want your son or daughter to attend day or evening session, Moravia Business School, Burgerin Building, Individual instruction. Experienced teachers. A scholarship is a gift which will be appreciated.

FOR A nominal fee, young woman will care for children, evenings while parents attend theatre or seek other recreation. Address Box 222, Freeman Office.

FURNITURE storage; best in city. Harry P. Carr. Phone 1173-J, 5-F-2.

CAN place need loans on first mortgage at 6 per cent. Chat. O. Vegg, 374 Broadway.

THE book you want is "Liddle," price 25 cents; on sale at O'Reilly's, 230 Broadway.

KINGSTON Taxi Service. 30 cents for 1 or 2 persons; day or night. Tel. 541.

TIAXOS tuned, \$1.50. North, 156 Front Street. Phone 1732-W.

FLUENT, heating, cooling, gas fitting, plumbing, promptly attended. "Tech." Freeman, 23 Brewster St. Phone 300-W.

ADVERTISEMENT WRITING.

MR. MERRICK has put together a large range into your advertisements, booklets, circulars, etc.—the kind that will make the dollars dance to your advertisement. Write for "The Art of Advertising" into your publicity. Write "Send to your office chair and write or call me." Will be a favor for the best. George M. Merrick, care of Kingston Freeman.

AN ALL NIGHT LICENSE.

The Weiner Will Help Usher in the New Year.

The Weiner Hotel on central Broadway has secured an all night license for the holidays and will hold a New Year's celebration on Friday evening at the hotel when New Year's remembrances will be given to all patrons. Since the Weiner was opened some years ago the management has made it a point to secure an all night license at the end of the year so that its patrons may watch the old year out and the new year in in comfort at the hotel.

GRANITE.

Granite, Dec. 30.—Miss Mattie Simpson is spending some time with friends and relatives in Kingston and Port Ewen.

Mr. and Mrs. William Miller of Peekskill, Mr. and Mrs. David DePuy of Poughkeepsie and Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Schoonmaker of Lake Mohonk visited their mother, Mrs. Asa Decker on Christmas Day.

Aubrey Lawrence of Walden visited at the home of George P. Smith Friday and Saturday of last week.

The Misses Evelyn Addis and Mabel Van Wagenen of Poughkeepsie, are visiting their parents during the holidays.

Clyde Sheldon of Walden, was the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Selah Sheldon, over Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Conklin, who have been visiting the latter's mother, Mrs. Imogene Slater, have returned to their home in Poughkeepsie.

Miss Ruby Smith is visiting relatives and friends in Walden.

Miss Elizabeth Becker of 48 Hoffman street, Kingston, is the guest of her grandmother, Mrs. Elizabeth Van Ethen.

Harry Fish of New York city is spending the holidays with his family here.

Rae Earl, the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. George Bilyeu of Kerhonkson, was brought to this place for interment Monday.

Miss Tessa Decker is visiting her sister at Poughkeepsie.

Dan Vanderlyn of York, Penn., is visiting at the home of W. D. Sheldon.

Willie Decker has moved his family to Walden, where he has a position.

Rumor says wedding bells will soon ring in this place. Get ready, boys.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Hook of this place, and Mr. and Mrs. E. K. Simpson and daughter, Elizabeth of Kingston, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Silas Simpson, Christmas day.

Mr. George P. Smith, who has been ill, is improving slowly.

William Countryman and son Herman, made a business trip to Ellenville on Friday.

Mead Rose of Campbell Hall, visited his mother, Mrs. Josephine Rose the past week end.

The Misses Tracey and Jennie Sheldon attended the basketball game at Ellenville Christmas night.

There was no services in the chapel Sunday afternoon as our minister, Rev. Mr. Pryne was called to preach a funeral sermon at Leithardt.

The Misses Hazel Slater, Evelyn Addis and Amy Conklin enjoyed a sleigh ride to Ellenville Monday evening.

Floyd Decker spent a few days out of town the past week.

Mrs. Becker of Kingston visited friends in this place recently.

Charles Countryman is the guest of his daughter, Mrs. Isaac Decker, Friend Sheldon was in Kingston on business Tuesday last.

Where is the man that said this was going to be an open winter? We would very much like to see him, particularly our mail carrier, Adelbert Sheldon, who says it is no fun to carry mail in these blizzards.

The Christmas entertainment and supper which was held in the chapel Friday evening was a success.

Much credit is due Mrs. George Smith and Mrs. Peter Addis, who drilled the children. Proceeds \$13.83. We wish to thank all who joined in making this a success.

Mrs. Rosetta Decker, who was overcome by coal gas, is improving, under the care of Dr. Fuller.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Green of Minnewaska passed through this place Monday afternoon.

Fred Van Wagenen visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Van Wagenen, over the past week end.

Mrs. Matt Bradford of Ellenville, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Addis Friday last.

The many friends of Jonas Steen of Kingston, formerly of this place, will be very glad to hear that he is slowly improving. Mr. Steen was injured while at work in Connecticut early last fall and has been unable to travel, only coming to his home last Friday.

BLOOMINGTON.

Bloomington, Dec. 30.—The leader of the Christian Endeavor for Sunday evening will be our new president, Earl Mack. Topic, "What is Consecration?" Mark 12:28-34. Consecration meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. Matthew Niebergall of Cottekill visited Mrs. Niebergall's brother, Ernest Goutant, and family, for a couple of days the past week.

Charles Rickard visited Kingston on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Wood and son, Herbert, were called to Brooklyn on Sunday as Mrs. Wood received a telegram stating her mother was dying.

Miss Margaret Douglass and sister, Lizzie, visited Kingston one day the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. George Smedes of Paterson, N. J., spent Christmas with her sisters, the Misses Snyder, and also visited other friends here for a few days.

Mrs. William Turck and son, Franklin, and little daughter of Olivera came on Wednesday afternoon to visit their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Victor Osborn, for a few days.

Percy Leferer and brother, Elting Leferer of Tonawanda are spending some time with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Elting Clearwater, of Whiteport.

Don't forget the installation of the newly elected officers of the Christian Endeavor Society on Friday evening and also the chairman in the Sunday school room of the church. They are as follows: Pres-

ident, Earl Mack; vice president, Miss Florence Rehya; recording secretary, Mildred DuBois; corresponding secretary, Elvina Castor, treasurer, Gustave Meik; chairman, prayer meeting committee, Mrs. O. A. Wood; lookout committee, Mrs. William Rehya; social committee, Miss Della Castor; music committee, Miss Pauline Castor; Sunday school committee, Godfrey Randegger; relief and calling committee, Mrs. Charles Richard; temperance committee, Miss Alice Hess; willing workers' committee, Miss Grace Enlist; missionary committee, Mrs. A. A. Zabrack. The meeting will begin at 8 o'clock, after which there will be a social time and at 11 o'clock they will hold watch meeting services. An invitation is given to all.

CLINTONDALE.

Clintondale, Dec. 29.—Mr. and Mrs. Paul Bicket of New York spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Hasbrouck Ellis.

Miles Elmendorf and family attended the wedding of his nephew, Miles Hendricks, of Highland to Miss Barbet of Poughkeepsie on Wednesday last.

A watch night service will be held in the Pentecostal Church of the Nazarene on Friday night, beginning at 9 o'clock, and continuing till after the new year is ushered in. There will be short talks by different persons, testimonies and prayers during the service. The subject for the coming Sunday morning will be "Greatness and Service." That of the evening will be "A Closed Year and the Future."

The Friends and Methodist Sunday schools held their Christmas tree and exercises on Christmas eve.

Mrs. Francis Robinson of Woodcliff, N. J., is spending the holidays with her mother, Mrs. Susan R. Lawrence.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Upright of Highland spent Christmas with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jay Livingston.

Miss Mary Dealy and Miss L. Maude Rhodes, who are teaching in Greater New York, are spending their vacations at their homes in this place.

Mrs. Schepmoes, who has been spending some time with her son and family, Charles Schepmoes, has returned to her home in Rutsenville.

ACCORD.

Accord, Dec. 30.—The Rev. Mr. Frost spent Tuesday in Kingston.

Hugh Dupuy, who is employed in the railroad shops at Margaretville, is spending a week's vacation with his parents in this place.

A number of young people are ill. Among them are Miss Mary Lawrence, Miss Hendrickson, Fred Simpson's daughter and several of Joseph Barnhardt's children.

The Misses Marion and Anna Schoonmaker, who have been ill, are much better.

Arthur Irwin and family have moved to St. Josen.

The town board met Monday and Wednesday.

Another old fashioned snow and sleet storm kept most people indoors Wednesday.

Friends from Tillson are visiting George Osterhout and family.

Charles Anderson has been unloading several car loads of feed and grain.

Arnold Smith has been spending several days with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred K. Lawrence, at St. Josen.

The week of prayer will be observed in the Reformed Church from January 3 to 8.

John Cora of Lake Katrine came after his automobile again Wednesday and managed to get started toward Kingston.

M. C. Stratton was a Kingston visitor recently.

METTACAHONTS.

Mettacahonts, Dec. 30.—The Sunday school will hold their Christmas exercises on Friday evening, December 31, it being postponed on account of the weather.

The Christmas exercises held the past week on Friday evening by the scholars of the day school, in charge of Miss Simpson, teacher, were fine, and was largely attended.

Several in this place entertained relatives on Christmas Day.

Mr. and Mrs. John Vandemark and children and Mrs. S. E. Churchwell were entertained by relatives at Kripplush on Christmas Day.

Chester Wood spent Thursday in Kingston.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Kelder and Mrs. Arthur Kelder were Kerhonkson visitors on Tuesday.

Charles Dewey has been the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Dewey.

Floyd Dewey has employment with Mr. Lang.

Russell Miller has been employed by William H. Miller, who has been making improvements to his henery.

Dorcy Baker spent Tuesday in Kingston on business.

John Vandemark has been recently employed drawing timber for Charles B. Rider.

PLATTEKILL.

Plattekill, Dec. 30.—A Christmas entertainment was given by the children of School District No. 8 Monday afternoon.

Miss Ruth Palmer of Bloomfield, N. J., is spending the holiday vacation at her home here. Also Miss Helena Geraw, who attends the New Palis Normal.

Two young ladies from Newburgh are spending a few days with Miss Tillie Nabor.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Dayton entertained a number of their relatives on Christmas day.

Mrs. Homer Sutton and daughter, Ethel, are visiting Mrs. Walter Bush at Plattekill.

Miss Bessie Baxter is spending a few days at her parents' home in this place.

Mr. and Mrs. Esch Carpenter and Miss Helena Carpenter of Milton visited relatives here Saturday.

The school children are enjoying their Christmas vacation now. Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Yeager of Maybrook were visitors in this town last week.

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 30.

Sun rises, 7:20; sets, 4:35.
Weather, cloudy, followed by clearing. Humidity, 67 to 73.

The Temperature.

The lowest point registered by the Freeman's thermometer last night was 22 degrees. The highest point registered up to noon today was 29 degrees.

Weather Forecast.

Washington, Dec. 30.—Partly cloudy tonight and Friday; not quite so cold in extreme north portion; light to moderate variable winds.

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| | |
|-----------------------------|-------|
| Turkey | 20-22 |
| Roasting Chickens | 20 |
| Poultry | 24 |
| Ducks | 25 |
| Geese | 26 |
| Rib Roast Beef | 18-20 |
| Pot Roast | 18-20 |
| Chuck Steak | 16 |
| Stewing Beef | 16 |
| Small Legs Pork | 15 |
| Pork Chops | 15 |
| Pork Roast | 15 |
| Leg Spring Lamb | 15 |
| Stewing Lamb | 15 |
| Our Celebrated Pork Sausage | 20 |
| Home Made Frankfurters | 20 |
| Home Made Bologna | 16 |
| Home Made Liver Sausage | 15 |
| Bacon | 15 |
| Pancake Corn, 3 cans | 25 |
| Pancake Peas, 3 cans | 25 |
| Skipback Hams | 17 |
| Star Hams | 20 |

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MENKE'S DAILY
SPORTING LETTER

(By Frank G. Menke.)

New York, Dec. 30.—If you would be successful, use a chorus girl as your model. The Harvard athletes did and you know what happened to Yale, don't you?

Just a few days ago Houghton ripped aside the veil that shrouded the reason for the wonderful showing of the Crimson team in that Yale game by saying:

"We employed various forms of psychology. For instance, we studied the chorus girl. We found that when she was doing the most wonderful gyrations on the stage she was all the time smiling with a gladness even at the baldheaded man in the front row."

Perce didn't say whether the "saying" of the girl won for her an after-theatre supper at the expense of the baldheaded geek, but he said that a girl's trick of doing two things at once gave him an idea.

We applied to football the methods of the chorus girl. Our players were trained so that their subconscious minds enabled them to perform automatically their various assignments while their active or conscious minds were dealing with unforeseen contingencies which invariably happened during a game."

Concerning Mr. Black.

Somehow or other we feel that the youthful Clinton Black is going to do more in bringing order out of football chaos at Yale than any other man that Yale could have named as its 1916 captain.

Black recently came forth with a few remarks in which he said that Yale's 1915 record was a disgrace and that he would do everything in his power to bring back Yale to its old standing near the crest of the football world.

And Black backed up his words by acting. He went before the athletic council and surrendered his rights as a Yale captain—the rights that make a youthful captain a higher power than the coach or a whole board of coaches. Black's manliness in that action has won for him nation-wide friendship.

"I do not feel that I know as much about football as a man twice my age—as a man who played and has taught the game ever since I was a baby," said Black. "I appreciate the honor the boys have bestowed upon me in making me captain and I hope I can merit that honor by being the leader of a real Yale team. But in everything I do I shall be guided by the orders of the coaches. They are the teachers and I am a student of football."

When a youth who could be the mightiest power in Yale football affairs willingly surrenders that right for the interests of his college, he's a real hero, and we do not bid to this bulky young person.

May he rank among the greatest football captains in Yale history.

Chamberlain a Wonder

"Guy Chamberlain is the greatest football star the West has produced," is the consensus of opinion among the western critics. He's the chap who, who scored 16 touchdowns in eight games while playing for the wonderful Nebraska eleven. "There is nothing in a football way that Chamberlain cannot do—and do better than 99 per cent of the players in the game today," adds the experts. "Chamberlain is the last thing in football excellence."

Chamberlain is 6 feet and 2 inches tall and weighs 194 pounds. Time and again he ran the 100 yards on the football field, clad in his eridion regalia, in 10.45 seconds. In running costume he does the hundred in 10 seconds flat.

The Nebraska is a grand little baseball player, a fine wrestler and boxer and a great asset to his college in its track and field contests.

Rondout A. C. Defeated.

Last night at the Holy Cross parish house the Holy Cross Five won their third straight victory when they handed the Rondout A. C. a 29 to 10 defeat. The game was fast but one-sided. Both teams worked hard from start to finish. Edward Butler, who played guard for the Pine Grove avenue representatives featured with his wonderful floor work in fact the whole team did themselves credit. Sherlock played the star-light game for the losers. The score follows:

| | FB | FP | TP |
|--------------|----|----|----|
| Newman, rf. | 3 | 0 | 6 |
| Rourke, lf. | 3 | 2 | 8 |
| Moxin, c. | 5 | 0 | 10 |
| Butler, rg. | 0 | 1 | 1 |
| Albino, lc. | 2 | 0 | 4 |
| Kiernan, lg. | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Total | 13 | 3 | 23 |

Rondout A. C.

| | FB | FP | TP |
|---------------|----|----|----|
| Sherlock, rf. | 3 | 1 | 7 |
| Tox, lf. | 3 | 0 | 2 |
| Brown, c. | 0 | 1 | 1 |
| Cartor, rg. | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Simpson, lg. | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Total | 4 | 2 | 10 |

Referee, J. Joyce. Score at half time Holy Cross, 19. Rondout A. C., 4.

NEW YEAR'S EVE
AT THE WEINER

There is every indication that the New Year's Eve celebrations in New York city "will have nothing on" the merry event arranged for patrons of the Weiner Hotel this year. In point of jollity and enthusiasm it is intended to outstrip every former similar celebration at this popular hostelry. An all-night license has been obtained, so that happy throngs may enter at any hour, be wine and dine and join the merry-makers in the evening's festivities. No distinction will be made among guests, but first come will be first served. Music will enliven the occasion, and all patrons will receive an appropriate New Year's remembrance.

Those Kingstons who have in former years assisted in ushering in the New Year at the Weiner Hotel will undoubtedly be numbered among throngs who will here make the advent of 1916 an evening of rollicking jollity. The splendid cuisine, the faultless service and the homelike atmosphere of the Weiner will materially aid in making this season's New Year's celebration one long to be remembered by all who are fortunate enough to be present—Advertisement.



HANK O'DAY.

O'DAY BACK IN NATIONAL
LEAGUE AS UMPIRE.

Cincinnati, Dec. 30.—"Hank" O'Day will be seen calling the strikes and balls in the National League circuit next summer. He wired President John K. Tener in Chicago that he wanted a job as umpire, and Tener instructed Secretary Heydler to send a contract to O'Day.

O'Day was an umpire in the National League for many years and was a pitcher before that.

In 1912 he managed the Cincinnati Reds spent 1913 as an umpire and in 1914 managed the Chicago Cubs. Last year he umpired only a part of the season and had no contract for the coming year.

A Phebe Snow Dance.

A Phebe Snow dance will be given on New Year's eve in the Grange Hall at Lake Katrine by the Grange. After midnight the New Year's eve dance will be transformed into a Leap Year dance. Coffee and sandwiches will be on sale. Music by Wood's orchestra.

Lost Handbag and Money.

A young woman arriving in this city on Wednesday afternoon lost a hand bag containing some jewelry and over \$30 in money and a railroad ticket back to New York. The loss is advertised in the cent a word column and a liberal reward is offered for the return of the property.

Poor Idea.

A man who employed a number of boys to pick raspberries was quite anxious to protect them from mosquitoes, so he had veils made to tie down around the neck. The boys were very grateful for his kindness until they found that there were no mosquitoes in that locality and also that they couldn't eat any berries with those veils on. The "protection" was of another sort.

BUSINESS NOTICES.

Eastman Kodaks, Films and Supplies. CONNELLY DRUG CO., corner Broadway and Strand.

Ashes will not be collected Saturday, January 1st. (New Year's Day) in the Eighth, Ninth and Thirteenth wards. Same will be taken up on Friday with the Sixth and Seventh wards. Householders residing in districts where garbage is collected on the above day will be governed accordingly.

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YOUR FRIENDS

Will feel that you truly wish them "A Happy New Year" if expressed with a few flowers. VALENTIN BURGESS'S, INC., Fair and Main Streets.

POLO INTEREST GROWS

Players Increase in Numbers in All Parts of Country.

Season Has Been One of Most Successful in Recent Years, Says Chairman Herbert—Planning for Many New Trophies.

"In spite of the general business depression in the early part of the year and the disturbance caused by the war, the polo season has been one of the most successful in recent years." This statement was made by H. L. Herbert, chairman of the Polo association in New York.

"One of the most gratifying features of the last season," said Mr. Herbert, "is the number of young men who have taken up the sport and the skill they have displayed. This more particularly applies to the young members of the Long Island and Pennsylvania clubs, which are exceptionally fortunate in having such promising material to draw upon."

"With an idea of further encouraging competition among the clubs, the officials of the Polo association are outlining the conditions for a number of new trophies to be played for under most attractive conditions. The full particulars of these cups will be laid before the members for approval at the annual meeting, which is held in February."

The outstanding feature of the last season was the tournament which was held at the Panama-Pacific exposition, starting in March and closing May 1, or sixty days of actual play, in which time thirty-seven matches took place and many handsome trophies were awarded.

The entry of the Boise (Idaho), Portland (Ore.), with the many California teams, and the presence of leading eastern and Chicago players, with a strong aggregation from the United States army, made the tournament a success.

Polo in various sections of the country has increased wonderfully with the institution some two years ago of the Polo association circuit cups. These trophies are played for by clubs within a certain radius of one another, and in every case last season drew five and six entries.

NEW QUEEN OF LAWN TENNIS

Molla Bjurstedt of Norway, Captures National Women's Championships—Defeats May Sutton.

Miss Molla Bjurstedt of Christiania, Norway, now a resident of New York, has swept everything before her in the tennis events of this past summer, capturing the women's national indoor championship and outdoor championship, along with many other significant titles. And if any doubts remained in the minds of the tennis players relative as to whether or not her wins might be due to the fact that America's foremost women exponents were unable to participate in these national events, they were, no doubt, dispelled when this Norwegian girl, on invading the territory of the world-famous Mrs. May Sutton Bundy, scoring a straight set defeat on the latter before a representative California gallery.

If consistent winning ability is the true test of superior play, then Miss Bjurstedt can well be looked upon as



Molla Bjurstedt.

commanding a championship game, since she has decisively defeated the rank and file of women players throughout the country.

The Norwegian player also has the distinction of being the only foreigner who ever won the United States tennis championship, just as Mrs. May Sutton Bundy has the distinction of being the only American who ever won the English championship, which feat she accomplished in 1904 and 1906.

Bob Curtis With White Sox.

Bob Curtis, who pitched for the Battle Creek team of the Southern Michigan league before that circuit broke up, and then joined the independent Rail Lights of Toledo, which defeated several major league teams in exhibition games, will, it is reported, get a trial with the Chicago White Sox in the spring.

Medical Opinion.

Some authors think they are creating an atmosphere when it is only hot air. Likewise some people mistake temperature for temperament.—The Medical Pickwick.

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Wishing you all a Happy and Prosperous New Year.

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26 BROADWAY

DOWNTOWN

SHOKAN.

Shokan, Dec. 30.—A surprise party was tendered to the pastor of the Reformed Church on Christmas night, December 25. Fifty people, consisting of old and young, were present.

Cord was put along the floor, under rugs and up the stairs. Mr. Gulick was given the end of the cord and told to follow the cord and Mrs. Gulick to wind it up. When they came to the other end of the cord they found a paper telling them to search the Scriptures. Upon going to the Bible they found two bags of money. The evening was spent in playing games, also playing and singing. The mistletoe which hung in the middle of the room afforded lots of fun. Refreshments were served. The guests left between eleven and twelve declaring Mr. and Mrs. Gulick royal entertainers.

Miss Elizabeth Giles has returned home after spending some time at Poughkeepsie.

Roger Loughran and F. Waters motored to this place Monday to attend the Christmas cantata.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Everett of Connecticut spent a few days with Mrs. Everett's sister, Mrs. E. Buswell.

David Dumont is home for a week's vacation.

Miss Ruth Longyear, Floyd Longyear and Allie Falconer spent Christmas at R. W. Longyear's.

The storm did quite some damage in this place by knocking down chimneys, tearing roofs off buildings and blowing down trees.

Hattie Barringer, who expects to go to Virginia Friday where she is to be married, was in this place bidding her friends good bye on Monday.

Christmas exercises in the Reformed Church were well attended and enjoyed by all. It consisted of recitations by Miss Izora Giles, Bertha Ryder and Marion Ingersoll; doll dialogue by the little girls; Bronnie drill by four little boys; a cantata entitled "Fairy Godmother." Presenters were distributed by Santa Claus and his little helpers, Marion Ingersoll and Jean Hyde.

CITY TREASURER'S NOTICE

Special Assessment.

Notice is hereby given that I have received the warrant for the collection of the special assessment of 75 per cent of the expense incurred in the construction of a sanitary sewer for Sterling street from Greenkill avenue and extending about 200 feet on Sterling street, in the city of Kingston.

The same has been left with me for collection at my office in the city hall for thirty days from the date of this notice. The said assessment may be paid in full or in installments, and the interest on the balance due shall be added to the principal at the rate of 10 per cent per annum.

If any of the said special assessment shall remain unpaid at the time the notice is given, I shall give a written notice to the person or persons who are liable for the same, and they shall be liable to pay the same at any office within thirty days thereafter, with 5 per centum interest, and one dollar for each notice so served by the city charter.

Dated at the treasurer's office, Kingston, December 21, 1915.

F. H. DORENCE
City Treasurer